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19th	KASHGAR § ..	8,840
26th	CHINA	7,952
2nd Sept.	MOREA * ..	10,911
9th	PLASSY ..	7,393
16th	MALWA ..	10,941
23rd	KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430
30th	NALDERA * ..	15,825
7th Oct. ..	CALEDONIA ..	7,822
14th	MACEDONIA § ..	11,089
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1st Sept. ..	MULBERA ..	8,900
12th	MERKARA ..	8,236
27th Oct. ..	MADURA ..	8,978

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About			
12th Aug. ..	KALYAN ..		
19th	SOUDAN ..		
25th	MACEDONIA ..		
2nd Sept. ..	MANTUA ..		Connects at Colombo with s. s. Dongola.
9th Oct. ..	NARKUNDA ..		Connects at Colombo with s. s. Nankin.

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Date	Steamers.	Tons.
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6th Oct. ..	NARKUNDA ..	16,118

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Tamba Maru ..	N Wada ...	5,845	11 Aug.	25 Aug
†Gyokoh Maru	H. Ogata ...	5,191	16 ..	26 Aug
Akita Maruru ..	Y. Kotoril.	3.817	28 Aug.	8 Sep
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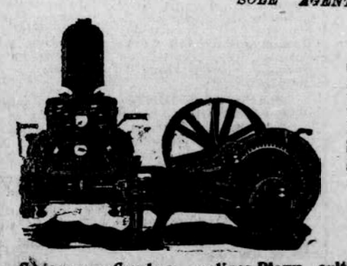

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M R4503

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LOST at Chowpaty on the evening of the 18th instant. One GOLDEN WATCH by Madorina Watch Co., half hunter bearing monogram "P. B. D." on the outer cover. Prize to be awarded Rs. 51 to anybody who may return the watch to the owner at the following address:—P. B. DESAI, "Rambhovan," Dadar Road, DADAR.
PB 4506

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WANTED—Rupees one lac on a first legal mortgage of an immoveable property, situate at Worli. Apply stating terms to Messrs. DASTUR & CO., Solicitors, Ismail Building, Fort, Bombay.
R C13933

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R R4531

SPORTS.

POONA SEASON RACE TIPS—We have arranged to obtain at very heavy expenses first hand informations and Gallops of CERTAIN WINNERS in Poona and the same will be imparted to you at nominal charges with a special advisory letter by an expert. Write at once to Post Office Box No. 582 (G. P. O.), when our representative will call on you and fully explain our method.
T R4375

TRADE ANNOUNCEMENTS

TO SELL—One 5 x 4 Tropical Sanderson Camera with Beck Convertible Double Lance (very little used) at Rs. 185. Original Price Rs. 350. Apply PIROJSHAW HORMUSJI, Photographer, Dhobi Talao.
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T R4529

TRADE ANNOUNCEMENTS

LAND PROPERTY AGENTS—S. K. KULKARNI, Two Tanks, Bombay 9.
T R4374

FOR SALE—English LEATHER BELTING from 1 to 12 ins. wide, also Dutch make "Tungsram" Lamps. For particulars, &c., apply H. C. BROTHERS, 59, Old Mody Street, Fort, Bombay.
T R4462

WANTED—OLD NEWS-PAPERS, of "Sanjvartaman", "Bombay Samachar," "Jame", and "Bombay Chronicle" at Re. 1-8 per mound. Send to the Swadeshi Stores, Narsinha Mansion, Carnac Road.
T 13954

SELLERS of large quantities of 48 per cent. MANGANESE ORE. Apply sharp with specifications, Stock, and prices F. O. B. Bombay to F. RUTTONSHAW & CO., Oak Lane, Fort, Bombay.
T R4485

WANTED—Second-hand a copy of THACKERY'S DIRECTORY of India, between years 1919 to 1920. Apply with price and particulars to BYRAMJI SORABJI SETHNA, Butcher's House, Gowalia Tank Road.
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TRIAL SOLICITED, TRIAL SOLICITED.—CHANDIRAM METHARAM. ESTATE BROKER and COMMISSION AGENT. 134, Medows Street, Fort, Residence: WASSIALMAL BUILDINGS. Top Floor, Grant Road, BOMBAY, undertakes to sell and purchase landed Properties in BOMBAY CITY and SUBURBS. LOANS can be arranged on valuables immediately. BUNGALOWS, FLATS and OFFICES, VACANT PLOTS and GODOWNS can be arranged on rents.

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Fox Portable, New with Case	175
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Oliver 3, Fine Rs. 110, 5, Brief, B.S.	140
Multiplex Hammond, latest,	150
Underwood 5, latest, Rs. 190, Brief, 185,	200
Mercedes, Visible, 2 Cols., B. S.	200
Yost 20, Brief, Rs. 200, Dec. Tabulators,	225
L. C. Smith & Bros. 3, Brief, Silent	225
Oliver 9, latest, Rs. 190, Policy Size.	250
Remington 10, Visible, Rs. 180, 200, 225,	290
Remington 10, Brief, latest, 260, Policy,	290
Remington 10, almost new, Bold Types	375
Gujerati Remington 9, Brief, little used,	200

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE ARMY & NAVY CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LD
(Incorporated in England).
OF 105, VICTORIA STREET, WESTMINSTER, LONDON, S. W. I.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

MONDAY, the 7th instant being a public holiday the BOMBAY BRANCH of the Society will be CLOSED on that day.
13952

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE BANK OF BARODA LTD., will from 21st August, 1922, REMOVE to the 1st floor of the "STANDARD BUILDING" on the Hornby Road, (above the Bank of Taiwan, Ltd.) Left available to constituents.
C13907

NOTICE.

FOR SALE—Two 16 K. W. D. C. Compound Wound Generators voltage 110 to 150 direct coupled to High Speed Gardner Oil Engines fitted with Tachometers, the necessary water and fuel tanks piping, etc. inclusive. Also two Generator Panels complete with necessary switches and instruments. Engines can be seen running at Government House, Caneshkhind, with 24 hours' notice. Tenders to be sent to the undersigned. The purchaser will be required to make his own arrangements for packing, cartage, etc., at his expense.
F. O. J. ROOSE,
Electrical Engineer to Government,
P. W. D., Bombay
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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Urgent orders executed at special rates within 24 hours.
Price list on application.
103, MEDOWS STREET, FORT, BOMBAY
Near Tata Bank (New Building).

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

THE BANK will be CLOSED on MONDAY, the 7th proximo that day being a Public Holiday (Cocoanut Day) under the Negotiable Instruments Act 1881.
A. W. MARSHALL,
Offg. Secretary & Treasurer.
Bombay, 29th July, 1922.
C13899

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA will be held at the Local Head Office of the Bank, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, on THURSDAY, the 17th August, 1922, at 4 p.m. (Standard Time), for the transaction of the following business:—
1. To receive the Central Board's Report, the Statement of the Affairs of the Bank made up to the 30th June, 1922, and the Report of the Auditors.
2. To elect three Auditors and to fix their remuneration.
R. AITKEN.
W. B. HUNTER.
Managing Governors
Bombay, 31st July, 1922.
C13852

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C13961

NOTICE.

THE undersigned begs to announce that the interest and responsibility as a partner in the firm of Messrs. Batliwala and Karani Shares, Stock and Exchange Brokers has leased as and from the 1st of August, 1922, and that henceforth he will carry on business as Messrs. KARANI & CO.,
NUSSARVANJI PIROSHAW KARANI,
Examiner Press Building,
Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.
C4477

GREAT INDIAN PENIUSULA RAILWAY.
(Incorporated in England.)
COCOANUT FAIR.

MONDAY, the 7th August, 1922, being Cocoanut Fair Day, extra suburban trains will be run between Bombay, Kurla, Thana and Kalyan. For timings see notices exhibited at statings.
S. D. ROBERTSON,
For General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, 1st August, 1922.
C13930

LUCKNOW UNIVERSITY

APPLICATIONS are invited for the posts of—
(1) LECTURER in CHEMISTRY.
(2) LECTURER in ZOOLOGY.
on a salary of Rs. 250, in the grade of 250-25-500.
Every Officer, teacher or other servant of the University holding a substantive appointment of Rs. 40 per mensem or upwards will be obliged to contribute 8 per cent. of his salary to the Lucknow University Provident Fund and the University shall make a contribution of 12 per cent. of the subscriber's salary towards the Fund.
The appointments will be in the first instance on probation for one year.
Applications with authenticated true copies of the testimonials, which will not be returned, should be sent to he REGISTRAR, Lucknow University, Lucknow, on or before the 7th of August, 1922.
C13815

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Engine: Kelvin,
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C13755

PUBLIC NOTICES.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA

Advances Against Government of India 6% Five and Ten Year BONDS.

THE BANK is prepared to give advances to approved constituents who wish to subscribe to the above on the following terms until further notice.

(1) The Bank will advance 95 per cent. of the amount applied for, the Borrower paying the remaining 5 per cent. at the time application is made.

(2) The Borrower must undertake to repay the advance by monthly instalments of not less than 4 per cent. Thus if a Borrower applies for Rs. 10,000 of Bonds he will require to make an initial payment of Rs. 500 and regular monthly payments of Rs. 400 for 23 months and payment of Rs. 300 on the 24th month.

(3) The rate of interest to be charged on the advance will be 5½ per cent.

(4) Borrowers are at full liberty to repay advances more rapidly than indicated above.

(5) In the event of a Borrower failing to pay any monthly instalment the Bank reserves to itself the right to demand payment of the advance and on failure by the Borrower to make such repayment, to sell the securities. Should the Bank decide not to exercise these rights, interest will be charged at Bank rate on the balance of the advance outstanding with a minimum of 6 per cent.

The Scrip will be held by the Bank as security for the advance. Borrowers must keep with the Bank, at all times, sufficient security to cover the amount advanced plus a 5 per cent. margin.

R. AITKEN.
W. B. HUNTER.
Managing Governors.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA
Bombay, 20th June 1922.
C13479

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY

(Incorporated in England).

REVISION OF PASSENGER FARES.

PUBLIC ARE ADVISED that on and from 1st October, 1922, Intermediate, 2nd Class Mail and Ordinary fares will be revised at the following bases:—

Distance.	Inter 3rd by Mail or Express.	3rd by ordinary trains.
For the 1st 200 miles pies per mile. plus	7½	5
For extra distance over 200 miles pies per mile.	6	4½

D. S. BURN,
General Traffic Manager.

Victoria Terminus,
1st August, 1922.
M C13929

THE JEWELLERY CONSIGNMENTS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the share holders of the above Company will be held at the Co's. Registered office Dadoo Building Custom House Road Fort, on the 12th August, 1922, at 2 p.m. (Standard Time) to transact the following business:—

(1) To receive and adopt the Director's Report and the Audited Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account for the period ending 30th April 1922.
(2) To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
(3) To elect and appoint auditors for the ensuing year and fix their remuneration.
(4) To transact any of the business that the chairman may bring before the meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of Company will be closed from Saturday the 5th August, 1922, to 5th September, 1922, (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors,
PANAHAND MANCHAND & CO.,
Managing Agents.

Bombay, 4th August, 1922.
R4530

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

UNDER SECTIONS 65 AND 68 OF ACT XIV OF 1882.

Suit No. 86 of 1922.
IN THE COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE FIRST CLASS AJMER.

The firm Jethmal Bhola Ram Ajmer...Plaintiff.
Versus.
The firm of BHAGWANJI SRI CHAND Bombay .....Defendant.

To

The firm of BHAGWANJI SRI CHAND, Commission Agents' Bombay.

WHEREAS the above Plaintiff, on the 17th day of March, 1922, has instituted a suit in this Court against you for cancellation of decree and whereas the 22nd day of the month of August, 1922, has been fixed for the disposal of suit you are hereby summoned to appear and answer the claim in this Court on the above day at the hour of 12 o'clock in the forenoon, in person, or by pleader of the Court or Agent duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or by a Pleader who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions. And you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence; and you are further required to bring with you, or send by your Agent any document on which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

You are further required to return the original summons duly endorsed.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Court, this 28th day of July, 1922.

Seal of the Court.

SHANKERLAL,
Pleader to the Sub-Judge, 1st Class, Ajmer.
C13962

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

THE WEST INDIAN IMPORT CO., AND J. C. KARAKA.

BEG to announce that they are removing from their present premises at Ballard Estate to 207, Hornby Road, opposite Central Bank Building from to-day.

M R4497

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that owing to want of space we intend to destroy the records in our possession upto 1915. Our clients are therefore requested to take away their papers within one month from the date hereof, failing which they will be destroyed.

WADIA GHANDY & CO.,
Solicitors.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1922.
C13927

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. GULLAMHUSSEIN ALLIBHAI, of Bombay Khoja Mahomedan Inhabitant has contracted to sell the under mentioned property to our client SETH ABDULHAMID HABIBBHOY.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office situate at Najafee Building, 40-42, Nanabhai Lane, within the Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE PROPERTY ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All that piece or parcel of perpetual Fazandari land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Tandal Street, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 149 1/3 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 303, New No. 2019, Old Survey No. 2177, New Survey No. 3105 and in the books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 3296 and Street Nos. 132-136 and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by the Tandel Street, on or towards the West property belonging to the Mahomedan Burial Ground, on or towards the North by the property of Mahomed Esmail and on or towards the South by the property of the late Jan Mahomed Allana.

Dated this 3rd day of August, 1922.
THAKORDAS & DARU,
Purchasers. Attorneys.
C13953

AUCTION SALE

MUSSAJEE JAFERJEE.

Under the kind instruction received from the Chief Ordnance Officer Kirkee Arsenal, Messrs. Mussajee Jafferjee, Government Auctioneers, will hold a public auction at Kirkee Arsenal on Friday, 11th August, 1922, at 2 p.m. of the following Army woollen and cotton UNSERVICEABLE and SERVICEABLE CLOTHING:—

A large quantity of warm and cotton Blankets and greatcoats Razais, Masquito nets, coats warm, Boots ankle, Flannel and cotton shirts, Mittens woollen, waistcoats warm, woollen Jackets, trousers, Pyjamas warm, Suttrinjas, Kurtah flannel, Gunny, Jerseys, Towels, Putties, Khaki coats, Trousers and Shirts, Kitbags, etc.

Conditions of sale will be read over on the spot.

MUSSAJEE JAFFERJEE,
Government Auctioneers.

R4526

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AUCTION SALE.

MISTRY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.
9, Dean Lane, Fort, Bombay.
Telephone No. 3921.

SALE TO COMMENCE AT 10-30 A.M. AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE BY WELL-KNOWN MAKERS DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARDS, CABINETS, BRASS ORNAMENTS, ELECTRIC LAMPS, ETC., ETC.

On MONDAY, the 7th August 1922, at 10-30 a.m. (S. T.), Messrs. MISTRY & CO., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Colaba in No. 20 Bungalow, opposite St. George's Army Service Club household furniture comprising of dining table, dining room chairs, dining wagon tea tables, drawing room cabinet, Chesterfield sofas and easy chairs, folding screen, jardiners carpets, brass ornaments, fancy writing tables and revolving bookstands, show-cases, ornaments teapoys, file cabinet season wood almirahs, clothe presses, dressing chest of drawers, and marble top washing tables Glassware, English Crockery plated were and ornaments, etc., etc.

Lt. R. B. S. Munn.

Catalogues will be printed and property will be open to view 4 days before sale.

SALE TO COMMENCE AT 10-30 A.M.

Auction Sale of household and artistic furniture by John Roberts, and other well-known makers, Dining Table, Roberts' Sideboard, Roberts' handsome Silver Show Case, Cabinet, Ice Refrigerator, rich Plated-ware, Glassware, English Crockery, Cutlery, Cabinet, etc., etc.

On SUNDAY, the 6th August, 1922, at Saleh Mansion, Nepean Sea Road, Dubash Estate at 10-30 a.m. (S. T.) Messrs. MISTRY & CO., will sell by Public Auction, very rich furniture, comprising of dining table, sideboard, dinner wagon, dumb-waiters, tea tables, Roberts' handsome silver show and cabinet, Chesterfield sofas and easy chairs to match, brass top centre table, palm-stands, Roberts' tea tables, low arm clairs, ladies fancy writing table, hat stands, card tables carpets, bedroom furniture, mirror almirahs teakwood, clothe and gown press, dressing tables, marble top wash tables and toilet set and revolving chairs, steel English ice refrigerator, glass-ware, English crockery, cutlery, cooking utensils, etc., etc.

The Property of L. H. Goodes, Esq., of Messrs. John Dickinson & Co. Ld.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be open 4 days before sale.

MISTRY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 5th August, 1922.

BENNETT & CO.

120, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

SUIT NO. 1012 OF 1922.
PETER HARROWER AND COMPANY.
vs.
AHMEDALLY MOHAMEDALLY DHRORIA.

Under instructions from Messrs. Little and Co., Attorneys for Messrs. Peter Harrower and Company and on account and risk of Ahmedally Mohomedally Dhoria of Two Tanks opposite Kajipura Bombay, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 5th instant sell by Public Auction at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.) at their rooms No. 120, Apollo Street, the following:—

1 case Cobra boot polish, brown and black.
4 cases Boot polish, dark brown, and black by (Boston Blacking Co.).

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of sale.

THIS DAY SATURDAY the 5th inst. at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. BENNETT & CO. will sell by Public Auction at there rooms a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, one Iron safe on stand, etc.

AT 2-30 P.M. (S. T.)

1 second-hand rubber tyred Canoe Victoria in good order.
1 second-hand rubber tyred palanquin Office Shigram.
1 second-hand rubber tyred Vis-a-Vis in good order.
1 Arab horse going in saddle.
1 English Landaulette and a pair of Black Waler Horses.

AT 3-30 P.M. (S. T.)

By order of the Banks and Offices concerned:—

About 50 pieces English Canvas 42 to 42½ yards, 24 ins. width.
22 crates Asbestos mill boards, size 40 by 40.
71 Bags British Hexagon Bolts and Nuts.
1 case Cobra boot polish, black and yellow.
On account and risk of Rajbhoy Jafferji Soudagar.
1 (R. J. S.) case boot and shoes.
By order of the Chief Presidency Magistrate.
One lot Gold and Silver ornaments such as Gold rings, bangles, buttons, necklace, etc., silver todas, rings, watches, cigarette cases, etc., etc.
A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

BENNETT & CO.,
Bombay, 5th August, 1922.

J. S. MODY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS,
20, Apollo Street.
Tel. No. 6409.

AUCTION SALE OF ONE-FOURTH SHARE, RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST OF THE MORTGAGOR IN A VALUABLE UNMOVEABLE PROPERTY SITUATE AT MUTTON STREET, WITHOUT THE FORT OF BOMBAY.

Under instructions and by order of Messrs. Mulla and Mulla, Attorneys for the mortgagee Mr. Hasham Korjee and on account and at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, Shaik Yasin bin Shaik Dawood, who had on the 18th day of May, 1922, agreed to purchase the said undivided one-fourth share, right title and interest of the mortgagor Mr. Kurimbhoy Hasanali Contractor, in the undermentioned property, but who has failed to complete the sale in terms of the conditions of sale Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co., Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on Monday, the 14th day of August 1922 at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises the one-fourth share, right title and interest of the mortgagor Mr. Kurimbhoy Hasanali contractor, in the undermentioned property.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of partly newly assessed and partly Sanadi land or ground situated lying or being at Mutton Street also known as Gulam Mohomed Shaik Street without the Fort and in the registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 543 square yards or thereabouts registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under old Nos. 150, 3109, 782, New Nos. 16691, 10097, 7947, Old Survey Nos. 953 19/53 and New Survey Nos. 2/4372 and 4372 together with messuages tenements or dwelling houses standing thereon and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under "C" Ward Nos. 7150 and 7151 and Street Nos. 32 and 32 and which premises are bounded as follows on the North by the property of Ismail Jiwanji, on the South by the property of Hassanally Adamji, on the East by the said Mutton Street and on the West the sweepers passages.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs. Mulla and Mulla, Attorneys for the Mortgagee at their office at Gresham Building, Esplanade Road, Fort, or to the undersigned.

J. S. MODY & CO.
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 5th August, 1922.

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Bombay, 5th August, 1922.

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THE WEATHER.

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SIMLA, Aug. 4.

The depression from South Bengal is now near Benares and is moving slowly north-westwards. It has given some heavy rain in south United Provinces. Break in the Peninsula continues. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Bihar and Orissa, east Unnited Provinces, Central India east, Konkan, Malabar and local in Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, west United Provinces, east Central Provinces. A few falls occured in east Punjab, west of Central Provinces and Bombay Deccan.

Chief amounts are:—Tavoy, Bassein, Akyab four inches, Moulmein one and a half, Rangoon one, Diamond-Island, Lashio three, Bhamo two, Cherrapunji, Chittagong one and a half, Cox's Bazar, Barisal, Ranchi one, Benares two, Allahabad, Cawnpore five, Lucknow, Jhansi, Mainpuri one and a half Dehra Dun, Mussooree two, Simla one and a half, Jubbulpur four.

Forecast:—No large change.

RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

Stations	24 hours to 8 a.m. of 4th Aug, 1922.	Total since 1st June, 1922.	June 1st to 4th Aug	
			1921.	1920.
	In. Cts	In. Cts.	In. Cts	In. Cts
Colaba (Observatory)	0.20	58.52	63.17	32.22
Fort (St. George's Hospital).	12	53.93	65.31	36.1
Esplanade (Gok. Tej. Hospital)	0.13	54.93	59.55	35.53
Byculla (J. J. Hospital)	0.28	58.89	64.34	37.24
Kemp & Co., (Cumballa Hill)	--	--	--	--

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, Aug. 3rd.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m. 12 a.m. 3 p.m 6 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr.	Inches		29.606
Temperature of Air	Degrees		79.9
Wet Bulb Thermometer	"		76.7
Dew Point	"		75.5
Relative humidity of Air	"		0.868
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy—10)			9.4
Maximum temperature of Air	"		83.8
Minimum do do	"		77.4
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight			WSW, W, WSW.
Movement of Wind do	miles		228
Fall of Rain	Inches		0.45
Total fall during month	"		0.86
Do. do. year	"		58.49
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 4th Aug.			0.03

OBSERVATIONS RECORDED AT 8 HOURS ON THURSDAY, THE 4TH OF AUG. 1922

Stations.	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours.	Temp. in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity At 8 hours.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours.	Rainfall. Total 1st Nov. to date.	Rainfall. Departure 1st Nov. to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire	86.8	79.8	65	..	0	0
Do. 2nd	97.8	86.0	78	..	0	—0.08
Muskat	92.8	86.6	80	..	0	—0.16
Do.	96.6	88	82	..	0	—0.16
PUNJAB—						
Multan	103.2	84	64	..	0.82	—2.15
Rawalpindi	94.7	72.8	81	..	5.47	—2.24
Lahore	95.8	82.5	72	..	4.76	—30.5
Hissar	98.1	72.8	77	..	6.62	+0.44
Ambala	93.6	78.6	80	..	21.94	+0.66
Delhi	89.0	76.1	80	0.50	12.00	+0.09
UNITED PROVINCES						
Agra	86	77	68	0.30	19.18	+6.41
Mainpuri	84.4	77.1	92	1.60	22.87	+2.17
Jhansi	85.6	75.8	86	1.33	20.81	+3.03
Cawnpore	90.6	76.0	93	5.40	24.52	+0.58
Allahabad	90.0	76.9	99	4.90	23.03	+0.17
SIND AND RAJPUTANA						
Jacobanad	101.2	83.4	65	..	0	—1.41
Karachi	88.1	80.7	91	..	0.20	—4.10
Ajmer	86.4	75.6	82	..	6.25	—1.73
Jaipur	90.3	76.5	80	..	10.79	—0.54
Ketah	89.4	77.6	75	..	14.47	+1.27
Mount Abu	71.2	63.9	100	..	24.63	—5.97
GUJRAT KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	89	77.1	89	..	4.57	—4.53
Dwarka	86	79.8	82	..	4.96	—5.33
Veraval	81.1	78.6	5	..	4.64	—7.29
Rajkot	91.0	75.1	86	..	7.00	—9.55
Bhavnagar Para	91.2	77.2	80	..	9.20	—8.17
Surat	85.2	76.6	80	0.02	28.86	+2.19
Ahmedabad	100.4	76.1	93	..	20.36	+2.69
Deesa	88.8	74.2	80	..	17.37	+4.70
Neemuch	83.1	72.8	74	..	22.93	+9.13
Indore	82.9	71.4	87	0.02	18.23	+1.77
CENTRAL PROVINCES						
Jubbulpore	78.8	72.8	95	3.50	31.02	×2.55
Saugor	82.2	72.2	95	0.22	30.99	+7.09
Hosangabad	82.9	73.6	87	..	23.96	+0.05
Khandwa	88.6	73.9	78	..	7.94	—6.88
Akola	85.1	73.6	90	..	23.20	+7.07
Amroto	85.8	73.1	80	..	19.04	+2.23
Nagpur	85.6	74.3	69	..	19.89	—4.85
Chanda	82.9	74.2	79	..	25.87	×0.05
Raipur	84	75	74	0.02	28.34	+3.64
KONKAN—						
Bombay	83.8	77.2	83	0.20	58.52	+12.69
Ratnagiri	82.1	76.7	78	0.02	51.89	+15.69
Marmugoa	83.2	76.2	88	0.07	72.08	+7.38
Karwar	81.8	77.0	84	0.12	80.72	+0.80
HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	87.5	73.5	65	..	8.20	—1.77
Ahmednagar	86.1	70.6	76	0.02	7.55	—1.69
Poona	81.2	69.2	84	0.38	19.84	—2.17
Sholapur	82	73.3	79	..	1.20	+1.51
Bijapur	8.7	67.4	63	..	4.40	—1.43
Belgaum	74.4	67.4	90	0.25	39.80	+3.51
Aurangabad	83.9	69.8	85	—	15.34	+2.35
Nizamabad (Indur)	88.4	73.7	72	..	14.32	—1.96
Hyderabad	84.2	71.7	75	..	6.81	—4.92
MALABAR AND CEYLON						
Mangalore	86.1	75.4	74	0.46	87.89	+9.89
Calicut	82.6	75.1	98	0.60	84.35	+16.18
Cochin						
Colombo	86.3	77.5	83	0.01	12.71	—0.77
MADRAS EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYORE—						
Masulipatam	96.3	81.2	66	..	3.87	—2.47
Bellary	91.1	75.5	67	..	0.61	—3.26
Cuddapah	99	79.8	59	..	4.51	—2.87
Madras	93.5	79.4	58	0.18	5.70	—0.65
Bangalore	81.6	66.5	86	..	5.42	—2.24
Coimbatore	88.9	71.7	71	..	3.14	—0.22
Trichinopoly						
Negapatam	95.8	78.8	68	..	3.17	—0.29

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours in Friday, the 4th August, 1922, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Delhi reports 0.50 inches of rain. Skies are lightely clouded and at Hissar day temperature was below normal.

The United Provinces.—Rainfall has been general and in the east of the division very heavy. Cawnpore reports 5.40 inches, Allahabad 4.90 inches, Mainpuri 1.60 inches, Jhansi 1.33 and Agra 0.80 inches. Skies are heavily clouded and humidity is nearly normal or in excess. Day temperature was below normal at Mainpuri.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are clear in upper Sind and north Rajputana and moderately clouded elsewhere. Humidity is in defect at Jodhpur and day temperature was below normal at Jacobabad.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are lightly clouded at Neemuch and heavily clouded elsewhere. Humidity is in defect at Neemuch and day temperature was above normal at Ahmedabad.

The Central Provinces.—Rain has fallen in the north of the division; Jubbulpore reporting a heavy fall of 3.50 inches and Saugor 0.22 inches. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded and at Nagpur and Raipur humidity is in defect Day temperature was below normal at Jubbulpore.

The Konkan.—Light rain has fallen locally; Bombay and Karwar reporting 0.20 inches and 0.12 inches respectively. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Belgaum reports 0.25 inches of rain. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded and at Malegaon humidity is in defect. Day temperature was below normal at Sholapur.

General Remarks.—A depression from the east has affected the weather in the United Provinces and the adjacent parts of the north Central Provinces and has given nearly general rain there. Falls have been very heavy in the eastern districts where Cawnpore, Allahabad and Jubbulpore report 5.40, inches, 4.90 inches and 3.50 inches respectively. A few falls have occured in the south east Punjab. Over the rest of the reporting area the monsoon is weak and rain is limited to light local falls on the west coast of the Peninsula and in the south of the Bombay Deccan. The sea is rough at Karachi.

Forecast.—An increase of rain is likely in east Rajaputana, the southeast Punjab and Central India West.

India Telegraphic Summary for the 3rd August 1922.

The depression over the south Bengal yesterday is now weakened. It has moved to southwest Bihar and will probably be near Allahabad to-morrow. It has given heavy falls in its neighbourhood. The Bombay monsoon has again been fairly active in the Punjab and on the northwest frontier. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Bengal, Chota-Nagpur, Bihar, the United Provinces, Central India East, the Central Provinces, the Konkan and the Madras Deccan and local in Upper Burma, Assam, the Punjab and north-east Baluchistan. A few falls have also occured in Orissa, Kashmir, the Northwest Frontier Province, east Rajaputana, the Bombay Deccan, Malabar and southeast Madras.

The chief amounts not already shown in the Bombay Report are:—Tavoy, Diamond-Island one and a half inches, Moulmein, Akyab two; Bessein, Toungoo four; Kyaukpyu three; Yamethin one and a half; Myit. Kyina one; Cherrapunji four; Cox's Bazar one and a half; Chittagong two; Barisal one; Darjiling five; Chaibasa, Ranchi one and a half; Hazaribagh five; Patna three; Gaya two; Naya-Dumka one; Ludhiana one and a half; Pachmarhi one and Jagdalpur three.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depath of water is at Prince's Dock sill.

		HIGH WATER.			LOW WATER.		
Day of week.	Day of Month.	Bombay Mean Time	Depth on Sill.	Day of Month.	Bombay Mean Time	Depth on Sill.	
	Aug.	h. m.	ft. in.	Aug.	h. m.	ft. in.	
F.	4	m 9 33	26 8	4	m 2 35	17 2	
		9 10a	25 1		3 33a	19 11	
S.	5	m 10 23	27 3	5	m 3 26	16 11	
		10 6a	25 5		4 25a	19 4	
S.	6	m 11 9	27 9	6	m 4 11	16 9	
		10 54a	25 10		5 5a	18 9	
M.	7	m 11 38	28 0	7	m 4 51	16 7	
		11 38a	26 3		5 39a	18 3	
Tu.	8	m 0 8a	28 2	8	m 5 26	16 7	
					6 10a	17 10	
W.	9	m 0 12	26 5	9	m 5 57	16 7	
		0 36a	28 1		6 38a	17 8	
Th.	10	m 0 44	26 6	10	m 6 25	16 9	
		1 2a	27 10		7 6a	17 6	

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week.

		A.M. Sunrise	P.M. Sunset
Aug.	4 (Friday)	6h. 11m.	7h. 18m.
"	5 (Saturday)	6h. 12m.	7h. 18m.
"	6 (Sunday)	6h. 12m.	7h. 18m.
"	7 (Monday)	6h. 12m.	7h. 17m.
"	8 (Tuesday)	6h. 13m.	7h. 17m.
"	9 (Wednesday)	6h. 10m.	7h. 19m.
"	10 (Thursday)	6h. 11m.	7h. 18m.

Phases of the Moon.—New Moon, July 24th. 6h. 17-1m. p.m.; First Quarter 31st, 9h. 51-6m., a.m.; Full Moon, Aug. 7th, 9h. 48-7m. p.m.; Last Quarter, 16th, 2h. 15-8m. a.m.

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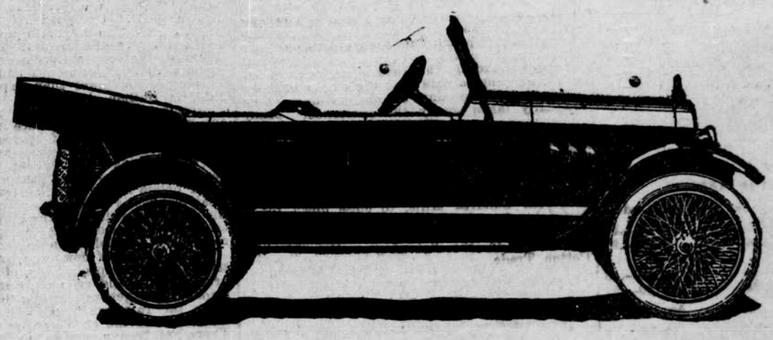

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CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

	Liverpool, Aug.	rd
		Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool		5,000
,, ,, Sales on Spec. & for Exp		
,, ,, Sales of East Indian		
,, Import		
EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES :—		
Mid. Americans Spot good inquiry		13 45
Egyptian F. G. F. Sakels		18 00
New York, 11 a.m.	Oct.	21 68
(As known in Liverpool at	Jan.	21 48
closing time.)	Mar.	21 46
New Orleans 10 a.m.	Oct.	21 28
	Jan.	21 06

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Liverpool, Aug. 3rd

Months.	To-day's Price.
August	12—76
Sept.	
Oct.	12 47+01
Nov.	
Dec.	
Jan.	12 21—08
Feb.	
Mar	12 01—.9
April	
May	
June	
July	

LIVERPOOL COTTON STATISTICS.

London, Aug 3rd.

	Bales.
Total Actual Export	1,000
,, Forwarded	84,000
,, Import	16,000
,, Stock	819,000
Actual Weekly Sales	21,000

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, Aug. 3rd.

Months.	To-day's price.
August	12 62—14
September	12 45—13
Oct.	12 33—13
November	12 22—12
December	12 17—11
January	12 10—11
February	12 06—11
March	12 02—11
April	11 96—11
May	11 91—11
June	11 86—09
July	11 80—09

Tone : Steady.

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, Aug. 3rd.

Months.	To-day's price.
Aug.	16 45—15
Sept.	16 45—15
Oct.	16 70—75
Nov.	16 75—15
Dec.	16 85—15
Jan.	16 90—15
Feb.	17 00—15
Mar.	17 05—15
April	17 10—15
May	17 15—15

Manchester—Improved cloth inquiry.

Yarns dull irregular.

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, Aug. 3rd.

H. G. Bengal Good	8 80
,, ,, Fully Good	8 90
,, ,, Fine	9 30
,, ,, No. 1 Oomra Good	10 20
,, ,, ,, Fully Good	10 60
,, ,, ,, Fine	11 00
H. G. Broach Good	11 10
,, ,, Fully Good	11 80
,, ,, Fine	11 90
H. G. Scinde Good,	8 40
,, ,, Fully Good	8 80
,, ,, Fine	9 20

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 2nd.

ay's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	2,000
,, Exports to Great Britain	
,, ,, to Continent	3,000
Futures at New York July	
,, ,, ,, Oct.	21 79—.51
,, ,, ,, Dec.	21 77—.52
,, ,, ,, Jan.	21 55—.55
,, ,, ,, Mar.	21 52—.55
pot Cotton, at New York	22 05—.50
,, ,, at New Orleans	22 00—.50
Futures at New Orleans Oct.	21 40—.48
,, at New Orleans Jan.	21 25—.48
Fair Bio Office (No. 7 quality)	9 15/16
Demand Bills	
Silver Commercial U. S. mined	99 5/8
Do. Foreign	69 1/2

AMERICAN COTTON MARKET.

New York, Aug. 3rd.

Oct.	21 43—.36
Dec	21 30—.27
Futures at New York, Jan	21 42—.13
Mar	21 30—.22

Liverpool, Aug. 3rd.

July	12 33—.13
Oct.	12 10—.11
Cotton Del. M.U. G.O.G. Liverpool Jan.	12 02—.11
Mar.	11 91—.11

London, Aug. 3rd.

Telegraphic Transfers	1/3 23/32 Quiet
Bar Gold	£ 6/12/9 Quiet
Bar Silver Spot	35 1/8 Quiet

MONEY MARKET.

London, Aug. 3rd

Rentes 3%	58 3/4
Bar Silver Spot	35 1/8
,, ,, 2 months hence	35 1/8

Closing Tone of Silver :— Quiet

Interest day to day loans	2
,, 7 day Market loans	1 1/2
Discount, Bank of England Rates 3 p/c. since 13th ultimo.	3

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Aug. 3fd

WHEAT.

Rosario Santa Fe 62 1/2 lbs. July-Aug. Sellers	51
Barletta Russo 63 lbs. July-Aug. Sellers	50
Australian 62 lbs. July Sellers	53/6

Tone :— Inactive

SHARES.

Chartered Bank	£ 18
Hongkong	£ 116
National	£ 44
P. & O. Banking Corp.	£ 14
Eastern Bank	£ 5 1/2

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore real Bold Aug-Sept. Sellers	£ 18 1/4
Rapeseed, Yellow Guzerat, 416 lbs. ex-Ship	
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship Aug-Sept. Nominal	£ 17 1/4

Tone of Rapeseed :—

Linseed, Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-Aug. Nominal	£ 21 1/2

Tone of Linseed :—

Cottonseed, Bombay sound delivered per ton Aug-Sept. Paid	£ 8 3/4
Toria Rapeseed	£ 18 5/8
Linseed Argentine Aug-Sept. Sellers	£ 19 1/4

Tone :—Slow.

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	67
Standard Copper G. M.. B.	65 1/5
Copper Braziers	84
Yellow Metal	8 1/4
Hard Spelter	24 1/2
Corrugated Sheets	£ 16

WAR LOANS, ETC.

Funding Loans 4% 1960/90	£ 89 +1/8
Victory Bonds 4%	89 3/4—1/8
War loan 5% 1929/47	£ 100 1/2
Consols 2 1/2%	£ 53 7/8—1/8
Rupee Paper 3 1/2%	37
Indian Stock 3 1/2% (Sterling Loan)	68 1/4
Govt. Securities 3%	59
7 p/c. Indian Loan	£ 119 1/2

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure, Aug,	10 1/2
Plantation First Latex Crepe Aug. Paid	7 1/2
Freights of Coal, Cardiff to Bombay	2

Tone :—

JAVA SUGAR.

Brown Sugar 16/16 C. & F. Calcutta Aug-Sept. Sellers	19 4 1/2
Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Aug. Sept. Sellers	21/3
Do. Do. Oct.-Dec. Sellers	21/4 1/2
Fine White Java C. & F. Bombay Aug-Sept. Sellers	21/10 1/2
Fine White Java C. & F. Karachi Aug-Sept. Sellers	22

Tone :—Firm.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

PIECE-GOODS.

The cloth market has been very quiet during the past week. There has been a total absence of wholesale demand, but some retail enquiry has been in evidence. The amount of business passing has been very disappointing both as to quantity sold and the prices realised. Buyers seem to be holding aloof for the present and are awaiting further developments before committing themselves to fresh transactions. After the end of this month it is expected that a fair enquiry will be forthcoming, as the monsoon has been favourable everywhere, and as the stocks in up-country have been depleted. But on he other hand, the Khadi movement has been checking business in Manchester cloths, as up-country merchants are afraid to purchase goods which might be difficult of sale. In Calcutta the picketting of foreign cloths has been vigourously pushed.

In Manchester Grey Shirtings there is very little doing. Dewhurst's "BBB" Shirtings have declined by eight annas per piece. Bates' 34 inches by 37½/38 yds. 10 lbs. Grey Shirtings in range of six qualities, the cost of which was about Rs. 25 average have been sold in small lot at Rs. 16 per piece, the seller having thought fit to dispose off the goods after keeping them for nearly three years. The inquiry from Malabar has been on a small scale, Grey Drills and Jaconets have not shown any change. White Mulls and Shirtings have remained steady, but Nainsooks have been easier, especially those in narrow widths.

The Manchester market has been steady. Owing to the high prices required, business has been patchy. Most of the offers have been found too low for acceptance and business has therefore been impracticable. Some makers of Shirtings have been easier to deal with, as they are in want of orders to keep their looms going. The Importing firms have not shown any disposition to pay present prices and book orders on their own account, owing to the uncertainty that prevails regarding the future outlook. But it is gratifying to note that the stocks held by them on the account of dealers have been gradually taken up by the concerned. Many firms have given facilities to their merchants in the way of clearing the goods. There has been no improvement in the rate of exchange, but the money market has been easier. The Oldham Master Cotton Spinners' Association has recommended the members, controlling over four hundred Mills, to close down for a fortnight for the holidays this month and also to consider an organised curtailment of production in the Spinning section of the Cotton Trade.

PIECE GOODS.

The quotations for the leading chops of Greys and Whites are as under :—

GREY SHIRTINGS—

	Ins. Yds	Rs. a. p.
Raili's, Fart No. 2000	39×37 1/2/8	13 12 0
,, 100,000	45× ,,	17 0 0
,, No. 33,000	45× ,,	15 0 0
,, ,, 2800	37× ,,	12 8 0
Graham's No. 2730	39× ,,	13 12 0
,, Yellow Horse	43×39	16 0 9
,, No. 2310	44×38 1/2	16 0 0
Dewhurst's BBB	38×38 1/2	22 8 0
,, BB	38×38 1/2	19 0 0
,, Rupee No. 5	38×38 1/2	17 0 0
Bombay Co.'s No. 2580	44×38 1/2	..
,, No. 1600	39×37 1/2/38	..
,, No. 5600	38×37 1/2/38	..
Ritchie's No. 510	39×37 1/2/38	13 12 0
,, No. 4462	41×,,	17 0 0
,, No. 1566	33×37/37 1/2	..
Forbes' 651	38×37 1/2/8	..
Lyon's Shunker	39× ,,	14 0 0

GREY DRILLS—

Peppereli's Dragon	29×40 Net	22 0 0
Ralli's Mugjid No. 425	26×40	14 0 0
Mitsui's Elephant	29×40	19 8 0

GREY JACONETS—

Ralli's No. 18	45×22	8 12 0
,, ,, 18	40×22	7 12 0
,, ,, 138	40×22	7 0 0
,, ,, 636	44×22	7 10 0

WHITE SHIRTINGS—

Liepman's No. 1500	32×42	26 8 0
H.B.T.C. 40000	36×40	32 8 0
Ralli's No. 9889	33×40	22 0 0
Forbes' K. B. 100	33×40	19 8 0
,, 151	33×40	19 8 0

WHITE MULLS—

Ralli's No. 6	41×19	9 0 0
,, No. 60	46×19	10 0 0
,, No. 600	51×19	11 0 0
,, No. 6000	56×19	12 4 0
,, No. 88	58×20	8 10 0
,, No. 1270	27×18	4 7 0
,, No. 818	39×20	8 15 0
,, No. 1440	36×20	6 6 0
,, No. 5352	42×20	12 8 0
,, No. 2755	42×20	14 0 0
,, No. 1703	52×20 Net	16 12 0
Ritchie's No. 1260	27×18	4 7 0
,, No. 119	37×18	5 8 0
,, No. 229	42×18	6 0 0
,, No.339	47×18	6 8 0
,, 1K/4K 38",43",48",	53"×18 Avg.	6 8 0
,, No. 95	58×20	8 10 0
,, No. 66999	40×18	6 12 0
,, No.86999	,,	7 4 0
,, No.775	40×18	..
,, No. 875	45×18	..
,, No.975	50×18	..
,, No.615	,,	8 6 0
Graham's' Baloon"	58"×20	8 10 0
,, No.142	34×19	..
,, No. 850	36×18	..
Greaves' No. 5060	27×18	..
Tattersall's No. 8844/8849/8854 45,"50," 55"×20		8 4 0

WHITE NAINSOOKS—

Raili's No.7070/9090	27×18	5 0 0
,, No.61/81	,,	4 8 0
,, No.1900	,,	4 5 0
,, No.33044/88	30×18 Avg.	3 4 0
,, No.33099	,, ,,	3 12 0
,, No.33199	,, ,,	4 0 0
,, No.39620 T.B.	38×22	6 12 0
Graham's Nos. 88/8888	26×18	5 8 0
,, 95950/97970	..	..
,, Saraswati	33×18	..
,, 'Tipoo W/WWW	34×18	6 12 0
,, No.50000	,,	7 4 0
,, No.33340/33380/33360	,,	7 12 0
Lyons' No. 4545/5656/6767	26×18	4 12 0
Greaves' No. 30000/50000	,,	4 12 0
,, No 8000 T.B.	38×22	7 4 0
Ritchie's Nos.3500/4510/5520	26×18	4 12 0
S. W. & Co's Nos. 3800/5820		4 12 0
,, Motor Car	,,	4 9 0
Bombay Co's ZZ/ZZZZ	,,	..

The above quotations are on bazaar terms, with discount of 3 1/2 per cent. on Grey Goods and 4 per cent. on White Goods.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Aug. 4th

	Market Rates.
Bank Telegraphic	1-3 19/32
Bank Demand	1-3 5/8
Doc. Acceptance 3m /s	..
Tts Demand	350
American Dollars	346
Honkong Dollars	202
Shanghai	269
Japan	184
Singapore	179 1/2

Market Steady.

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

Bombay, Aug. 4th.—6 p. m.

The folloing are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Bombay Grain Merchants' Association:—

Ready	Bazar Terms. Rs. a. p.	Rail Delivered. Rs. a. p.
Wheat, White Delhi 70-30	60 0 0	9 0 0
Wheat, white Cawnpore 70-30	58 0 0	....
Wheat, Karachi Bangla	57 0 0	8 10 0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	10 0 0	10 8 0
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore	10 0 0	10 8 0
Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore	12 0 0	12 8 0
Linseed, Brown Bold	14 0 0	14 10 0
Linseed, Brown Thin	13 8 0	14 0 0
Teelseed, White 85-15	80 0 0	16 0 0
Leelseed, Gujar 75-25	77 0 0	....
Teelseed, Gujar 50-50	75 0 0	....
Teelseed Black	72 0 0	....
Poppyseed, White	13 12 0	14 12 0
Groundnuts	70 0 0	....
Mowraseed	7 10 0	7 14 0
Barley	42 0 0	....
Castorseed	69 0 0	12 2 0
Cotton Seeds Ready	37 0 0	5 8 0

Forward	Rs. a. p.
Wheat, May	9 1 6
Wheat, Aug--Sept.	9 5 0
Linseed, May	14 5 0
Linseed, Sept.	15 1 6

FOREIGN MARKETS.

August 4.

During the week under review foreign markets showed some slight improvement both in Liverpool and New York as compared with last week. In the early part of the week the market advanced on reports of rather unfavourable crop accounts in Greenville and Texus, and high temperatures in Texus and Oklahoma, beginning to cause damage to the crop. Since then on various Bearish condition Reports, the market declined. The Bureau condition Report upto 25th July 1922 was out on the 1st instant. It gives the condition of the crop as 70.8 per cent, as compared with 71.2 last month and 64.7 last year. This report is lower than expected and is in itself is Bullish, but trade conditions and prospects seem to be for the present against any material further advance from the present relatively high level of prices. But there are, however, still same critical week's ahead for the growing crop, during which serious damage may be done. For the present we think prices may go higher temporarily. Our local market is also likely to be influenced by the course of prices on the other side, but for the present it looks like responding more readily to Bearish than to British reports.

The positions of new crop are very weak as there is every probability of a good crop at present, while old crop positions are generally strong. The general feeling here is bearish, as so far rain has been plentiful in all districts and the crop has been doing well. There has been a moderate demand for ready cotton during the week. Japan Exporters and local spinners have been more or less out of the market recently. About 9,000 bales are reported to have changed hands during the week.

The following were the changes in the Home Markets as compared with last week :—

Liverpool, October last week 12.17, this week, 12.46 plus 29.

Liverpool, January last week, 11.91, this week, 12.21 plus 30.

Liverpool, March last week, 11.82, this week. 12.13 plus 31.

New York, October last week, 21.26, this week 21.79 plus 53.

New York, January last week, 21.07, this week, 21.55 plus 48.

New York, March last week, 21.05, this week, 21.52 plus 47.

(For other Commercial see page 12.)

SHARE REPORTS.

BANKS.

Name.	Paid up Amount	Face Value.	Div. paid	Last Div.	Quotation to buy
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs	Rs
Allahabad Bank	100	100	Feb-Aug.	18%	320
Alliance	100	..	Jan-Aug.	17%	290
Baroda	50	100	Jan-July	15%	15
Imperial	500	500	Jan-July	16%	1355
,, Contributary	125		,,		352/8xd
India	50	100	Jan-July	15%	117 xd
Central	25	50	Feb-Oct.	14%	36/12
Tata Bank	22 1/2	75	,, as.	10	15/8
Chartered Bank	£ 5	£ 5	Apr-Oct.	,,	£ 17
Eastern	£ 5	£ 10	,,	,,	83
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	$125	$125	,,	48%	£ 115
Mercantile Bank of India	A £ 12 1/2	,,	,,	15%	£ 28/4
Bank of Morvi	10	25	Feb-Oct.	9%	7

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad Dholka	100	100	Mar-Sept.	8 3/4%	120
Ahmedabad Pratnij	500	500	,,	212%	840
Amritsar Patty	100	100	,,	9%	112
Central Provinces	100	100	,,	6%	95 xd
Chaparmukh Silghat	100	100	,,	2%	84
Dond-Baramate	100	100	Feb-Aug.	5%	92
Khulna Bagirhat.	100	100	,,	4%	108
Larkhana	100	100	,,	4%	92
Mandhra Bhon	90	100	Feb Aug.	,,	63 xd
Pachora Jamner	100	100	Feb-Aug.	,,	60
Sara Sirajgunj	100	100	Mar-Sept.	4%	85
Sialkote Narowal	100	100	Apr-Oct.	3%	19 xd
Sindh Light	100	100	Jul.-Jan.	11%	110
Tapti Valley	500	500	Mar-Sept.	,,	401
Upper Sindh Light	100	100	Feb-Aug.	4%	84

CEMENT AND MANGANESE COMPANIES.

Bundi Portland	10	10	July	1-13-4	60
Bamankua	5	..	..	..	4
Central mining	10	..	..	8%	28
Indian Cement	250	250	,,	17 1/2%	282/8
Katni Cement ord.	100	100	,,	12	240 xd
,, Defd	40	40	,,	46	1215 xd
Shivrajpur	10	10	,,	4-9-4	30/8

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs
Ah. Advance	500	500	Apr-Oct.	203	28
Allience cotton	100	100	,,	..	320 m.
Appollo	50	50	Feb-Jan.	8	83/12
Birla mills	100	100	Apr-Sept	8	93/12
By. Cotton	500	500	Sep-Dec.	100	1110xd
By. Dyeing	250	250	Mar-apr.	96	1422/8
Bradbury	250	250	June-Nov.	100	1030
Bombay Industrial	100	100	,,	18	75
Century	100	100	Apr-Sep.	72	7.2/8
Cent. India	500	500	May-Nov.	225	5030
Colaba Land	700	700	March	130	239
Coorla	100	100	June-Dec.	35	464
Crescent	100	100	July-Dec.	50	423
Currimbhoy	250	250	,,	110	2000
David	250	250	Apr-Sep.	105	1788
Dawn	250	250	Mar-Aps.	200	1260
E. D. Sassoon United	7 1/2	10	Sep.	ea.8	5
Edward Sassoon,	200	200	Mar-Aug.	50	535
Elphinstone	100	100	June	25	151/4
Fasulbhoy	250	250	,,	130	1345
Framji Petit	1000	1000	Mar-Sep.	220	2100
Globe	100	100	Mar-Sep.	30	240
Gokak	100	100	,,	30	242/8
Indian Bleaching	100	100	May.	10	205
Indore Malwa	100	100	Aug-Feb	32	712/8
Jamshed Mfg.	250	250	May-Oct.	65	460
Kastoorchand	500	500	July-Dec.	50	890 xd
Khatao	100	100	Apr-Nov.	60	580
Kilachand mill's	25	25	Aug-Jan.	1 1/2	17
Kohinoor	500	500	Mar-Aug.	235	2770
Luxmi Cotton	1000	1000	Apr.-Oct.	500	5725
Madhavrao Scindia	100	100	,,	28	251.8
Madhowji	100	100	July-Dec.	30	457/8
Mathuradas	500	500	May-Nov.	50	610
Maneckji Petit	1000	1000	Mar-Sep.	400	4813
Meyer Sassoon	100	100	Mar-Aug.	30	322/8
Morarji	1000	1000	Apr-Nov.	400	7125
New Great	200	200	Mar-Sep.	70	895
New City	100	100	,,	60	712/8
Paban	250	250	,,	99	835
Pearls	250	250	July-Dec.	90	1045
Phoenix	100	100	Mar-Aug	100	945
Premier	100	100	May	,,	150
Planet	100	100	Dec-Aug.	20	287/8
Presidency Mills	125	125	Aug-Jan.	25	397
Sassoon Cotton	100	100	Apr-Aug.	15	573/1
Shapurji	102	101	Aug Sept	25	341/4
Sholapur	1000	1000	Apr-Oct.	700	19,500 n.
Simplex	250	250	Jan-Dec.	70	812/8xd
Standard	500	500	Apr-Sept.	220	2875
Swan	250	250	Mar.-Aug.	162	1260
Swadeshi	500	500	Apr-Oct.	300	5035
Tata Mill	500	500	May-Oct.	90	1140 xd
Vishnu Cotton	500	500	Apr Oct.	200	2500

ELECTRIC COMPANIES.

Ahd. Electricity	188	100	,,	1000	140
Andhra Valley	1000	1000	,,	49	800
Bombay. Electric Supply & Tramway	52	52	,,	,,	126/4
Tata Hydro	1022	1022	Jan	32	95

MISCELLANEOUS COMPANIES.

Alcock	102	123	,,	152	210
B. Burma T. Corpo	125	125	,,	25	330
B. Burma N.I.	50	125	,,	10	150
By. Flour	500	500	Jan-Aug.	125	1300
Bt. Burma Pet	..	..	,,Mar-Oct.	as 6.	7 12
By. Steam	250	250	Oct. Rs. 10/8	..	215
Kemp & Co.	200	..	July.	26	140
Marcks	100	..	,,	12	98
New India Insur.	25	250	,,	,,	30
Oriental Govt. Life	50	200	April	10%	350
Phillips	40	..	July	10%	48
Fort Canning	1000	..	Sept.	82	674
Scindia Steam	30	30	,,	,,	7/8
Tata Iron & Steel-Ord.	75	75	Sept.	11	87/8
Defd	20	20	Sept.	61/8	195
N. Ord.	75	75	,,	,,	51 4
N. Def	400	400	,,	,,	160
Tata Oil,	100	100	,,	,,	50
Wheeler Co.	62	62	June	,,	120

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WOORALI 3

SECOND EXTRA MEETING.

HORSES LEFT IN.

SATURDAY, 5TH AUGUST, 1922.
First Race start at 2-0 p.m.

The following are the horses left in for the 2nd Extra Meeting of the Poona Races:—

THE LINGFIELD PLATE. Distance 7 furlongs. (Div. I.)

Floreal 9-6, Marcodia 9-1, Nicety 9-0, Lark 9-0, Archer 8-10, Whit Week 8-9, Entailed 8-8, On Leave 8-6, Lover True 8-1, Quite Dark 7-12, Belle Voyageuse II 7-11, Canterbury Lamb 7-8.

THE SUNGUM PLATE. Distance 7 furlongs.

Waterloo 9-4, Mentor 9-4, Kitchener 9-3, Hakum 9-0, Portcullis 8-12, Desert Flower 8-7, Hero 8-7, Gold King 8-6, Rose Hill 8-6, Dunbar 8-6, Brindisi 8-3, Pride of Iraq 8-3, Dowlat 8-2, Peninsula 8-2, Sooria 7-13, Leopold 7-11 Good Star 7-10 Malta 7-9 Ishallan 7-8, Angler 7-6.

THE MULLINGAR PLATE. Distance about 5 furlongs.

Lace 10-0, Mossley 10-0, Eudorette 10-0, Greenfield 9-10, Ila's Fancy 9-10 Britomatr 9-10 Blackwater 9-10, Daphnis 9-7, Hoon River 9-7, Pine Tree 9-7, Some Scribe 9-7, Lomo 9-7, Woorali 9-0 Elsewise 9-0 Vengeance 9-0.

THE NASRIYEH PLATE. (Div I.) Distance 7 furlongs.

Honeysuckle 9-6, Limerick 9-3, Californi 9-3, Black Guinea 9-0, Shanavaz 8-13, Moon 8-13, Marshal Petain 8-12, Khayum 8-11, Zalzalar 8-11, Shahin 8-10, Bahadur-ul-mulk 8-9, Roumania 8-9, Gun-runner 8-7, Salute 8-4, Fayruz 8-2, Rameet 8-2, Cauldron 8-2, Red Silk 7-12 Obized 7-12, Mahdir 7-12.

THE NASRIYEH PLATE. (Div. II.) Distance 7 furlongs.

Bahadurjung 9-10, Wadi 9-4, Towfik 9-3, Municipal 9-3, Dholpore 9-3, Abood 9-3, Beadmaker 9-3, Malabar 9-0, Fahtak 9-0, Triumph 9-0, Gulmarg 9-0, Nasaralla 8-13, Jumna 8-11, Coroner 8-11 Wincher 8-8, Arbeed 8-5, Narin 8-5, Amirjung 8-4, Raphael 8-1 Ajeel 7-12.

THE NASRIYEH PLATE. (Div. III. Distance 7 furlongs.

Vernon 9-11 Trafalgar 9-7, White Rose 9-6, Isonomy 9-4, Buttonwood 9-3, Lookmani 9-3, Quantity 98, Zohal 9-1, Uddai 9-0, Africa 9-0, Jerman 8-13, Anit 8-13, Najdi 8-13 Yellow Silk 8-8 Marshal Foch 8-8, Revenue 8-7, Toonah 8-5, Warrant 8-2, Alder 7-12.

THE LINGFIELD PLATE. (Div. II.) Distance 7 furlongs.

Leandros 9-4, Divide 9-0, Cally 8-13, Zea 8-11, Verna 8-8, Mimi 8-8, Allington 8-7, Marmion 8-6, Paragua 8-1, Lemoine 8-0, Bridgend 8-0, Cracknel 7-13, Eagleswell 7-4, Murmansk 7-2, Eager To 7-0

THE KOWEIT PLATE. Distance 6 furlongs.

Andolis 9-6, Anaiza 9-5, Kooleb 9-0, Tit Bits 9-2, Trade Mark 9-1, Mikado 8-7, Nevermind 8-5, Summerton 8-5, Dublin 8-0, Centry 8-0, Karam 7-8, Four Aces 7-5, Arthur 7-3, Latiff 6-13, Amin 6-13, Fareek 6-10.

THE POONA JUNIOR PLATE. No. 1. Distance 6 furlongs.

Orator 9-3, Dholpore 9-3, Helicon 9-1, Tooram 9-1, First Impressions 9-1, Marquis 9-1, Baby Grand 9-1, Monitor 9-1, Africa 9-1 Truelove 8-13, Persian Star 8-13 Shah 8-13, Balance 8-13, Fiddler 8-13, Ruby 8-13, Goodman 8-11, Anter 8-11, Simon 8-9, Minham 8-9, Black Prince 8-7, Buchefalos 8-7, Aris 8-7, Gun-runner 8-7, Revenue 8-7, My Fancy 8-7, Rising Star 8-5, Mishaan 8-5, Messina 8-5, Reform 8-5, Sadoon 8-5, Hamid 8-5, Parliament 8-5, Fletitor 8-1, Sikher 8-1, Hermit 8-1, Jodha 8-1.

THE KOREGAON PLATE. Distance 6 furlongs.

Braganza 8-12, Another Naght 8-1, Florella Olivine 8-12, Overseas 8-12, Victoria Cross 8-12 Pin Money 8-12, Cherry Girl 8-12, Cheriham Valley 8-6, Footnodal 8-6, Ceremony 8-5, Unruly 8-3, Lady Rita 8-0.

CALCUTTA RACES.

ACCEPTANCES.

(From our Correspondent.)

CALCUTTA, August 4.

The following are acceptances for to-day's races:—

THE SCURRY PLATE (Div I.).—Distance about 6 furlongs.

Hercury 9-0, Warrior Queen 8-13, P. H. 8-1, Ashbede 8-11, Little Life 8-10, Ethelwynne 8-9, Winning Way 8-9, Rdxa 8-7, Moonflower 8-7, Lussker 8-5, Stepaside 8-5, The Brat 8-5, Little Tag 8-3, Galla 8-3, Last Spot 8-0, Sherwood 8-0, and Carless 7-7.

THE SCURRY PLATE (Div. II)—Distance about 5 furlongs.

Golden Memory 9-0, Despicable 8-9, Aldford Hall 8-8, May Morn 8-8, Rose Lydia 8-6, Sunny Time 8-6, Grab 8-5, Pommery 8-4, Dara Bay 8-2, Lady Letty 8-1, Geisha Girl 8-1, Smoke Wreath 7-12 and High Life 7-8.

THE SCURRY PLATE (Div. III.).—Distance about 5 furuongs.

Bruslee 9-5, Jazz Band 9-2, Polotrap 9-2, Tanyum 9-2, Sans Nerci 9-1, Avon 8-9, Advisor 8-7, Nirvana 8-7, Galoshe 8-5, Guileless 8-3, Belle Etolle 7-7, Wardenstown 7-7, and Cheeky Girl 7-7.

THE FORT PLATE (Div. I.).—Distance about 1 mile 1 furlong.

Lady Myra 9-8, Cape Clear 9-7, Abajala 9-6, Peace Celebration 9-5, Espousal 9-5, Saint Joan 9-4, Tete Montee 9-2, Demon 8-11, Feathered Life 8-7, The Whip 8-1, Sole Bay 7-12, Galley Law 7-8, Spider Legs 7-7, and Sarfaraz 7-7.

THE FORT PLATE (Div. II.).—Distance about 1 mile 1 furlong.

Hugh Roe 9-9, Tycoon 9-5, Silver Gift 9-3, Moonflower 9-2, Charmio 9-0, Polignac 8-13, I See 8-7, Ethelwill 8-5, Jolly Friar 7-10, Aquae Soils 7-9, Lloyds 7-8, Paradise 7-7, Highland Lassie 7-7, Cylarity 7-7.

THE FORT PLATE (Div. I.).—Distance about 1 mile 1 furlong.

Lady Myra 9-8, Saint Joan 9-4, Sole Bay 7-12, Galley Law 7-8, Spider Legs 7-7, and Sarfaraz 7-7.

THE ROBERT'S PLATE (Div. I.).—Distance about 7 furlongs.

Royal Sign 9-5, Lady Myra 9-4, Double Win 8-13, Witty Scout 8-9, Cintra 8-9, Tde. Square 8-8, Shruleen 8-5, Cimarron 8-5, Norma Stoker 8-3, Saloon 8-1, Stage Whisper 7-13, Quartzite 7-13, Catling 7-12, Barsen 7-9, Torchlight 7-9, One Too Many 7-8, and Nautch Girl 7-7.

THE ROBERT'S PLATE (Div. II.).—Distance about 7 furlongs.

Ulster Maid 9-5, Gavrelle 8-10, Second Sight 8-10, Lordship 8-7, Chauntress 8-7, Goras Darling 8-6, Winning Way 8-9, Roxa 8-7, Moonflower 8-7, Lussker 8-5, Stepaside 8-5, The Brat 8-5, Little Tag 8-3, Galla 8-3, Last Spot 8-0, Sherwood Belle 8-0, and Carless 7-7.

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HARWOOD FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT.

STAFF DRAW WITH R. G. A.

Further play in connection with the Harwood League Football Tournament was resumed to-day, when the Brigade Staff met the R. G. A. The match though not of sensational interest, was an interesting game throughout. The play ended in a draw, neither side being able to get the better of the opponents. The teams were evidently well-balanced and consequently the game that resulted was in no sense a one-sided game. Both sides shared equally in the attack and the result—a draw—was a deserving cerdict considering the respective merits of the two teams.

Play began punctually at 5-45 p.m. There was no rain during the course of the play. The promise of a fine afternoon drew in a very large crowd of spectators. The Artillerymen shaped well at the beginning and saw decidedly more of the attack, but when it came to scoring the Staff backs pulled them up sharply and frustrated even the most threatening attacks. For the most part of the first half, the R. G. A. was slightly more prominent in attack.

During the second moiety the Staff took the lead in the attack, but with them also all scoring was rendered impossible by the resolute defence put up by the R. G. A. backs. Owing to the well-balanced nature of the rival teams, a state of stalemate resulted and when the final whistle went off the scoring board still remained a blank.

SURAT MUNICIPALITY.

NO-PAYMENT PROPAGANDA.

(Associated Press.)

SURAT, Aug. 4.

The District Congress Committee and the Rastriya School Committee workers are advising people not to pay municipal taxes and are carrying on an intensive propaganda.

DEATH SENTENCE ON 5 MOPLAH REBELS.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, August 3.

Abu Bakar Musaliar and four other Moplah rebels who stood charged with murder were sentenced by Mr. Narayana Iyer, Special Judge, to be hanged. The first accused a notorious rebel leader, was mainly responsible for cold-blooded decapitation of a large number of Hindus, whose bodies were then flung into a couple of wells in Puthur village, Calicut Taluk.

MESSRS. MONTAGU'S SILVER REPORT.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, August 4.

Messrs. Montagu's Weekly report says. The "Market was very quiet during the week. China offered silver usually with a limit below which price had to fall in the event of demand being insufficient to bear much weight of selling. Sellers not having been insistent, the price has been maintained within narrow limits. The continent contributed only on a small scale to supplies. Indian bazaars have been the main support but to a large extent covered purchases by forward sales.

Port Said Steamer 'River Wye" which ran ashore in the Gulf of Suez has returned to Suez. A survey will be held.

The thread manufacturer, Daniel Coats, left a million and quarter sterling. The death duty amounts to 336 thousand sterling.

INTER-COMMUNITY FRIENDSHIP.

MESSRS. JINNAH AND JAYKAR'S SPEECHES.

Under the auspices of the Indian Christian Association a pubic lecture at the Wilson College Hall was delivered on Friday evening on Inter-Community Friendship, by Mr. M. R. Jayker and Mr. M. A. Jinnah, Bars-at-law, Mr. Narshingham, President of the Indian Christian Association presiding.

TRUE EDUCATION.

Mr. Jayker who was the first speaker said that the present system of education was the most feeble imitation of the education in the West. If it was to be transplanted, it was to be done by Indians themselves. If it was altered, it should be on rational, common sense and practical lines and not merely on sentiments. The reason why the system of education was so defective was because it was entirely in the hands of strangers who did not understand what was required and were ignorant of the Indian civilization. For instance, in a tropical country like India school hours should be early. Indians generally took two meals, one in the morning and the other in the night. They did not know what breakfast was, whereas an Englishman would take his breakfast at nine o'clock in the morning which will keep him up till afternoon, and, therefore, the present school hours suited them. It was necessary, therefore, that the school hours should be regulated according to the requirements of the country. The other defect was that an Indian who generally went to college at the age of 17 and day by day came into contact with students of other communities kept himself aloof from his college friends and never attempted to learn their modes of life, their prejudices, their feelings and sentiments. The national education was, therefore, necessary, but that education should be such as to fit them as genflemen. They were taught at present that Mahomedan ruler had invaded and looted Somnath, or Nadirshah had massacred Indians but nobody took pains to teach that their music was the result of joint contribution of Hindu-Moslem mind. Indians were never told that they had their renaissance in architect nor were they told of the Parsi contribution to the culture of Bombay. While they were in the college it was absolutely necessary that they should develope national feelings.

Mr. Jinnah who followed Mr. Jayker said the reason why India was not self governing was because they had too many communities in the country who owing to their various classes, traditions and civilization, were not living in friendship, harmony and cooperation. It was due to these causes that the Hindu-Moslem rule was lost. If they lived in the spirit of friendship, and brotherhood their only object should be political progress. For the last 37 years Indian National Congress was agitating for responsible self government and since then the Indian communities were trying to be united. If they were going to make a head in social, commercial and political life there should be complete friendship established between different communities. When they were in the college in process of development for the future they should realize that they were not Hindus, or Mohomedans or Parsis or Jews or Christians but sons of India. Unless they looked in that light they would not be able to make substantial progress. They should, therefore, make up their minds to be masters of their own country and then there would be no nation or man in the world who would challenge India. He was glad to see the Hindus and the Moslems united in India as they were never before. The city of Bombay was the most cosmopolitan city in the world and they had exceptional opportunities to cultivate friendship with different communities not only of India but of the world. He concluded by appealing to remove the indifference and try to make what is passive, active.

Vote of thanks to the speakers and the Chairman terminated the proreedings.

BOMBAY POLICE.

STRANGE STORIES.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—A local Muslim Association has raised its protest against the frequent changes that of late have been taking place in the Commissionership of the Bombay Police. A Press Note says, that these are due to over-work, ill-health holiday or promotion of the officers concerned! While Dame Rumour says, that there is a belief in the higher official circle, that a Commissioner, gets too strong within two years of his holding the office, and may better make room for a meeker or a more yielding officer! There are also some funny reports going round at present; and the Director of Information can conveniently answer these questions:—Is it a fact

(1) That a Junior European Police Officer, stationed in a business centre, had prepared lists of meek and fatty dealers and shop-keepers of his locality?

(2) That these lists were said to be received from his superiors?

(3) That they were said to contain names of persons, suspected by the Police, as those involved in the disturbances of November last?

(4) And did not the Junior Officer assure exemption to the grateful persons?

(5) And has not that obliging officer gone to England?

(6) Is he promoted, or pensioned, or paid off, please? And what is the truth in these rumours, please? Will Mr. Gennings answer?—Yours, etc.

BARJORJI FRAMJI BHARUCHA.

Official and Personal.

His Excellency gave a Ball at Government House on Wednesday evening.

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

AGENDA OF NEXT MEETING.

REPRISALS AGAINST COLONIES.

The agenda of the ordinary monthly meeting of the Municipal Corporation which is to come off on the 10th instant at 3 p.m., is of varied interest. A number of people have drawn the attention of the Corporators to the woeful state of public roads, specially in such localities as Dadar Gully, De Lisle Road Cross Lane, Mutton Street, etc. The Maharashtra Free Libraries' Association has suggested the establishment of Municipal free libraries and attention is also drawn to the "epidemic of motor accidents" in the city. Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta has given notice that he will move:—

"That in view of the unjust humiliating treatment of His Majesty's Indian subjects by the Governments of the Dominions and Crown Colonies of the British Empire this Corporation resolves:—

(1) That no insurance of the moveable and immoveable properties of the Bombay Municipal Corporation be hereafter placed with Insurance Companies registered in those dominions or colonies.

(2) That no funds of the Bombay Municipal Corporation be hereafter invested in the banks registered in those dominions or colonies and those already invested be immediately withdrawn.

(3) That no person or persons born in those dominions or colonies be employed by the Bombay Municipal Corporation either as agent, contractor or servant and the services of those who are so engaged be forthwith dispensed with.

(4) That the Commissioner is hereby required to carry out the aforesaid requisitions at the earliest possible time."

BROTHELS.

Mr. Khurshed F. Nariman will move:—"That the Municipal Commissioner be requested in co-operation with the Police Commissioner to take early steps to remove houses of ill-repute including residences of professional dancing girls from the vicinity of places of worship and educational institutions particularly of girls."

PUNITIVE TAXES.

He will also move:—

"That this Corporation strongly disapproves of the action of the Government of Bombay in directing through the Chief Presidency Magistrate the Municipal Commissioner to recover additional General Taxes as compensation for the injury and damage to persons and properties during the riots of November, 1921, without formally obtaining the sanction of this Corporation. As the Municipal Commissioner is, under the Municipal Act, solely under the control of the Corporation alone, and as the Corporation alone has the right under the Municipal Act, to levy additional taxes, this action of the Government is a serious encroachment upon the rights and privileges of the Corporation. As the provisions of the City Police Act (Section 45, Cl. B.) are inconsistent with the rights and privileges of the Corporation conferred by the Municipal Act, this Corporation is of opinion that the said clause of the Police Act should be repealed or amended so as to make the formal sanction of the Corporation necessary, before such levy is made.

"That the Municipal Commissioner be requested not to employ the Municipal Staff nor to incur any additional expenditure for the purpose of recovering the taxes."

PATHAN NUISANCE.

Dr. Dinsha Bamanji Pestanji Master will move:—

"That the President be requested to forward a copy of the petition received from Messrs. Hajibhoy Lalljee and Co. and many others, to Government and the Police Commissioner, with a request that they will be pleased to take early action to minimise the great hardship, annoyance and danger caused to the citizens by a large number of Pathans who have entered the City, many of whom are houseless and without any avocation."

I. C. S. DEBATE.

"CONSPIRACY OF BRITISH DIE-HARDS."

(Associated Press.)

LUCKNOW, Aug. 4.

The "Indian Daily Telegraph" commenting on the I. C. S. debate says:—"The debate is undoubtedly the result of a conspiracy of British die-hards in England against reforms, but there would not have been even the suggestion of a probable failure of the reforms if non-cooperators had not behaved in the mad fashion to their credit.

MAJOR BLAKE.

MOVEMENTS DELAYED BY ENGINE TROUBLE.

(Associated Press.)

ALLAHABAD, Aug. 4.

According to the telegram received here from Major Blake the airman made one more effort to leave Amballa yesterday morning and was well on his way to Agra when engine trouble developed again and had to return.

SPECIAL TRAINS ON COCOANUT DAY.

The Secretary of the Indian Passengers and Traffic Relief Association understands that the G. I. P. Railway Company means to run a number of extra trains on Cocoanut-day for the convenience of local passengers. It is desired in order to avoid rush on ticket offices, that passengers should issue return tickets from the starting station and should wait for the next train rather than be crushed in any overcrowded train or travel on footboards of carriages.

The next annual conference of the Indian Christian Association of the United Provinces will be held on the 20th and 21st October and not in September.

THE THEATRE & CINEMA.

THE EXCELSIOR THEATRE.—No film ever before exhibited in Bombay has had the huge success which has attended the screening of "The Kid" and the immense number of people still crowding to see this popular picture, have made it imperative that the picture should be shown for one more week, and we now learn that the management of the Excelsior Theatre have been able to arrange to give us "The Kid" for a few more days. The screening of one picture for three successive weeks is something unique in the Bombay cinema world, and it is a record which will not be easily broken. On the 5th, 6th and 7th, the film will be shown three times daily at 4-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m. The early show will give the suburban people a splendid opportunity to see "The Kid" during the holidays, and allow them to get home again in time for dinner. On the 8th, 9th and 10th, there will be two shows only, at 6-30 and 10 p.m., while on Friday the 11th instant, "The Kid" will be screened only at 6-30 p.m. On that evening at 9-30 p.m. there will be a special sporting attraction in the form of a Parsi boxing tournament. On the conclusion of the run of "The Kid" the Bombay Amateur Dramatic Society will produce "The Admirable Chrichton."

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THE EMPIRE THEATRE.—A rollicking comedy drama entitled "Jilted Janet", featuring Miss Margarita Fisher, is the chief attraction at the Empire Theatre this week. It deals with the adventures of a girl and her fickle lover. Janet learns that her erstwhile sweetheart has married one of her former school chums, and that the pair of them intend to pay her a visit. She determines to make a brave show of prosperity and arranges with the caretaker of a large house to let her have the use of the place to entertain her friends. Unknowingly she enlists the aid of the owner of the house, who agrees to act as butler. A very merry time is spent and many amusing incidents arise. Matters are further complicated by the pseudo-butler falling in love with his young mistress, and the story ends with Janet eventually finding herself mistress of the house in reality. The usual topical films are included in the programme.

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THE EMPRESS THEATRE.—Several changes of programme are announced this week at the Empress Theatre. During the greater part of the week the principal picture will be "Wig and Turban", a fine story of love and adventure, embracing both East and West. A young Parisian Prince, tiring of the ease and voluptuous splendour of his father's court, decides to leave his home in search of adventure and a wife. With a faithful companion he journeys East. His travels take him through many wonderful Oriental scenes, and he meets with many strange and exciting adventures before his quest ends, and he returns to his father's court with a beautiful bride.

The programme will be changed on the 7th instant, when the Indian drama "Shiva Ratri" will be screened, and again on the 11th instant, when the chief picture will be another Indian drama "Aflatoon." A Snub Pollard comedy "Blow Them Up" will also be shown during the week.

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THE IMPERIAL CINEMA.—Another fine Hindoo picture entitled "Shree Markandiya Avatar" or "Devotion's Reward" will be screened this week at the Imperial Cinema. We understand that the management of this cinema have secured several more splendid Indian films which they will exhibit in the very near future.

MORNING DRAMA PERFORMANCES.

The Balwant Sangit Natak Mandali will give short three-hour drama performances in the Bombay Theatre to-morrow (Sunday), at 8-30 a.m. and on Monday at the same time, when their latest play "Rajasanyasa" will be staged. They have arranged to perform similarly on all holidays in the mornings.

RADHABAI DISPENSARY.

Radhabai Deshmukh, mother of Mr. Vyankatrao Deshmukh, having decided of her own will to open a charitable dispensary, set apart for the purpose a fund of Rs. 40,000 in the form of Government 5 per cent Loan.

During the year under report in all 36,462 patients received medicines from the dispensary.

The dispensary offers free relief to all communities without distinction of class or classes. From the 6,505 persons that were benefited by the dispensary the sum voluntarily received in the book came up to only Rs. 55-14-6.

For 36,462 patients the drug expenses came up to Rs. 725-6-6. Adding to this the cost of medicines paid as grant by Mr. Nanasahib Karkare of Paratwada the total cost comes to Rs. 1,100-6-6. Deducting the cost of medicines (Rs. 390-6-6) in stock on the year end date 31st March, 1922, from the above sum the expenses for drugs amount to Rs. 710.

FIRST MAHARASHTRA VYAPARI PARISHAD.

A general meeting of the Deccan Merchants' Association was held last week in the Association Hall when Mr. L. G. Mahajani presided. The Association resolved to hold first Maharashtra Vyapari Parishad in this city. Mr. K. B. Joshi was elected chairman of the reception committee, Mr. L. G. Mahajani was appointed the chairman of the executive committee with Messrs. G. S. Ranade, D. B. Barve, K. D. Bhagwat and Anantrao Ekbote as hony. secretaries and Mr. P. Shamrao, treasurer.

The executive committee consists of men like Dr. Bhajekar, K. T. Dongre, H. K. Gokhale, Potdar and others. Members of the reception committee have to pay a fee of Rs. 10 each, delegates Rs. 5 each and spectaclators Re. 1 each. A large sum in donations was collected on the spot to meet with preliminary expenses. The object of the Parishad is to organise the Deccan mercantile community for the improvement of their commercial status, to publish a directory of the Maharashtriya merchants, to establish a central organisation with up-to-date library of commercial interest, to take a general survey of manufacturing enterprises in the Deccan and to try to remove difficulties in their way of business by united efforts.

RACING AND TRAINS.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I shall be glad if you will insert the following in your next issue of your paper.

You are aware that the Race Season has commenced and that there is no improvement made by the railway authorities in the trains run by them on the Race days and previous and following days although the fares have been considerably increased owing to insufficient booking offices at Victoria Terminus and Poona station. The rush is so much that it is impossible for one to reach the counter conveniently.

I fail to see the reason on the part of the railway authorities for not opening a few more booking offices as at present done by the B. B. and C. I. Railway particularly at the above stations as I find at present there is only one counter alloted to each class.

The rush by the morning 7-50 a.m. Poona Express is great as the passengers left by the three previous night trains intend to travel by this train as all the race specials are fully booked up besides these trains are liable to detention at the ghats on account of heavy rains, etc., and the Race Specials following are allowed to proceed ahead, the travelling public by the morning Express are greatly dissatisfied at the late departure so I request the Railway authorities to see allow this train to start an hour earlier so that the Racing Public might reach in thime at the destination.

I sincerely hope that this will catch the attention of the proper authorities and have no doubt that a better change will now come over in the management of these trains.—Yours, etc.

A. B. C.

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

Engagements.

TO-DAY.

Conference of leading Indian commercial associations and Chambers of Commerce, 2 p.m., at the I. M. Chamber and Bureau's Office.

The s.s. "Narkunda" with the English mails, leaves at 1 p.m.

SUNDAY, August 6.

Public meeting at the Marwadi Vidyalaya, 5 p.m. (S. T.), Speakers: Messrs. Sawarkar and Kolhatker on the removal of untouchability, Mr. M. R. Jayaker to preside.

DAILY.

Imperial Cinema: 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.
Cinema Majestic, Girgaum: 5-15, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.
Excelsior Cinema: 6-30, and Chefalo and Palermo at 9-30 p.m.
Empire: 4-30, 6-30, 8-15 and 10 p.m.
Empress: 3, 4-30, 6-30, 8-15 and 10 p.m.
West-End Cinema, Charni Road: 5-30, 7, 8-45 and 10-15 p.m.
Globe Cinema, Sandhurst Road: 5, 6-15, 8-15 and 10 p.m.; Matinees Saturday, Sunday and Holidays at 3-30 p.m.
Star Cinema: 5-15, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

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Poona Mail	11 30	14 45
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Gujarat Mail	11 10	20 20
Kathiawar Express ...	7 45	20 45
Fast Passenger	21 30	7 5

TO-DAY'S MEETINGS.

"CARE OF INFANTS."

Under the auspices of the Mahila-Mandal of the Bombay Working Men's Institute, Mr. M. B. Udgaonker, will deliver a lecture on the "Care of Infant" at 3 p.m. (S. T.) today (Saturday) in the Damodher Thackersey Mooljee Hall, Poibavdi, Parel.

LAD YOUNG MEN'S UNION.

Under the auspices of this Union, Lokmanya Tilak's Second Anniversary will be celebrated, to-day (Saturday) at 8 p.m. (B. T.) at Ladwadi, Bhuleshwar. Messrs. Khadilkar, Lalitji, Jamnadas Mehta and others—will speak on "Lokmanya and his Mantra." The meeting is open to public.

INDIAN PASSENGER AND TRAFFIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Indian Passengers' and Traffic Relief Association will meet at the office of Mr. L. R. Tairsee, 70, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, to-day (Saturday), at 5 p.m. (S. T.).

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS.

KITTE BHANDARI A. V. M. VOLUNTEER CORPS.

A fortnightly meeting of the Kitte Bhandari Aika Vardhak Mandali Volunteer Corps will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at 9 a.m., at Mr. D. B. Kamble's place at Topiwala Lane, Lamington Road, when Mr. V. S. Bole, will deliver an address on "The Present System of Remarriage in our Community." Members are requested to be present.

GOUD SARASWAT SCHOLARSHIP LEAGUE.

The eighth annual general meeting of the G. S. B. League will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at 4 p.m. at the League's Office at Motilal House No. 2, 2nd floor, Tribhawan Road, Girgaum, to adopt the report and the statement of accounts of the year 1921-22, to pass the budget for the year 1922-23, and to elect office-bearers for the next year. All the members are invited to attend.

REMOVAL OF CURSE OF UNTOUCHABILITY.

Under the auspices of the Committee for the removal of untouchability a public meeting will be held at the Marwadi Vidyalaya Hall, to-morrow (Sunday), at 5 p.m. (S. T.), when Mr. M. R. Jayaker, will preside and Dr. Sawarker and Mr. A. B. Kolhatker will deliver lecture on "the importance of removing the evil of untouchability from the Hindu Society."

THE ZOROASTRIAN BROTHERHOOD.

A meeting of the Zoroastrian Brotherhood will be held on Sunday the 6th instant at 5-30 p.m., in the hall of the Tutorial High School, when a discussion on "The Crematorial System of disposing the dead," will take place. The meeting is open to the public and all are cordially invited.

AT PRARTHANA MANDIR.

Mr. J. N. Vaidya will conduct the weekly divine service in the local Prarthana Mandir on Sunday, the 6th instant, at 5-30 p.m. All are invited to attend.

DIVINE SERVICE.

ST. THOMAS CATHEDRAL.
8th Sunday, after Trinity.

7 a.m.—Holy Communion.
7-45 a.m.—Matins.
8-30 a.m.—Holy Communion—Choral, Woodward E, Hymns—282, 460, 187, 447.
5-30 p.m.—Children's Service.
6-30 p.m.—Evenson and Sermon, Canticles, Chants, Hymns, 170, 217, 31. Collections for Cathedral Schools.

INTERCESSORY MASSES.

The accounts of the Intecessory Masses in honour of St. Anthony have been closed and show the following results: Amount of subscriptions received, Rs. 1,206-7-9. Expenses incurred for printing appeals circulars, programmes, etc., Rs. 67, Postage, registration, etc., Rs. 46-11-9, Stipends for the Masses celebrated in the different churches of Bombay, Bassein and Salsette, Rs. 362-12-0, Fees for the "Te-Deum" which will be sung in thanksiving on 1st October next Rs. 65. This makes total of Rs. 541-7-9, leaving a balance of Rs. 665-0-0 which has been distributed among the different St. Anthony's Poor Boxes or among the poor of the parishes where these boxes do not exist.

The Agra Telegraph staff, European and Indian gave two farewell entertainments to Mr. Hellein, Superintendent, Agra Office, who is retiring after thirty-seven and a half years' service.

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ANOTHER INSULT TO INDIA.

We have seen during the last few months how the determination of "the most determined people in the world" and the "hard fibre of England" have been brought into play to bring home to the Indian people that they are a "subject" people inhabiting the "great Dependency" and that they will have to continue to remain so as long as it pays Britain or as long as her might is able to keep them so. India has responded to the challenge and the world knows what the response has been. Another insult has been put upon the Indian people by the Premier of England in the speech he made in the Commons on Wednesday during the debate on the Indian Civil Service, the text of which we published yesterday. The specific issue in connection with which the Premier chose to insult India was the clamour of the Indian Civil Service for assurances, in the shape of increased pay and better prospects, to compensate them for the loss of power and privilege as a result of the "Reforms." In an evil moment Mr. Montagu, in order to gain support for his scheme, succumbed to the temptation of yielding to the selfish and unjustifiable clamour of the Civilians and pandered to them by enhancing their pay and allowances, without any thought as to whether India could bear the increased burden and whether it was just that India should be made to bear it. The appetite has grown by feeding and there is no end to the demands of the I.C.S. for assurances and reassurances in hard cash. As even "New India" has admitted, "it has now become notorious that the India Office (under India's new "Masters") is bent on foisting upon India fresh obligations and burdens in respect of the Imperial Services." And Mr. Lloyd George has now blessed the attempt of Lords Peel and Winterton instead of administering to the Civilians the rebuke which they deserved.

If the intentions of the British Government in respect of the "Reforms" were sincere, punishment rather than pampering should have been the meed of the rebellious Civilians. Parliament having enacted the Government of India Act, the refusal of the Civilians to carry out the wishes of Parliament is tantamount to defying the law, but instead of "enforcing respect for law," the India Office and the British Government are abetting the conspiracy. The Indian people have no wish to be unjust to the I.C.S. But they are determined to see that the members of the I.C.S. behave as servants of the people and not as their masters. Mr. Lloyd George's speech shows clearly that he wants the I.C.S. to continue to remain as the masters of India and that, in short, he, for his part, was not quite sincere in his support of the Montagu Reforms. "Without their (the Civilians') loyalty, capacity and patience India could not possibly be saved from falling into the position of anarchy from which this country (England) rescued her a century and more ago." That is how the Premier perverted history to serve the selfish end of justifying the political exploitation of India. After that it is not surprising that he should have declared that the Reforms "were in the nature of an experiment and they must be treated as an experiment." Colonel Wedgwood could not help characterising this declaration as a threat to India to withdraw the "Reforms" if she did not behave properly. Sir Donald Maclean, speaking for the Liberal party, endorsed the Premier's declaration that the "Reforms" were an experiment though he was pleased to say that the experiment should not be withdrawn or discouraged. It is true Lord Winterton sought to explain away the Premier's threat and babbled about "Co-operation," the latest manifestation of which on his part and that of his chief is the pandering to the greed of the I. C. S.

So far as the Indian people are concerned they are no longer affected by threats from British politicians. They are determined to be masters in their own country, and not all the legions of "the most determined people in the world" can make them swerve from the path of non-violent Non-co-operation until they win Swaraj not as a gift from Britain but as their due. But how long are our Co-operating friends to continue to put up with insults to their country? While the war was on, and Britain in dire need, India was appealed to for help and India gave her money and men without grudging. Then the grateful British "statesmen" were profuse in declarations about the right of every nation to "self-determination" and India was promised reward for her services. Now that the war has been won, not only are those declarations forgotten, but India is insulted. The Premier grossly perverts her history, tells her people they are unfit to govern themselves and that even a mockery of what during the war was accepted as her due is now regarded as an "experiment," the continuance of which is to depend on their good behaviour, that is on their meek acceptance of the Civilians and the Wintertons and Sydenhams as their masters. The preamble of the Government of India Act, which makes the British Government and the Government of India, that is, the I. C. S., the judges of India's progress as a probationer in the school of self-government, is a standing insult to her. The Premier has, by his latest declaration, aggravated it. How long are the Co-operators going to submit to this humiliation? It was a great Englishman who once said that no people can remain slaves to another people except those who are content to remain instruments of their humiliation. How long are the Cooperators going to remain a party to their country's humiliation?

THE FEAST OF SACRIFICE.

To-day the Muslim world commemorates the Sacrifice of Abraham, the Father of Believers as he is called, which marked the end of human sacrifices for the Semitic race. As related in the Holy Coran, it also brings out clearly the true significance of that idea of sacrifice which has existed in all religions and in all ages. This idea is of the very essence of religion, but it has been rendered horrible by superstition and the arts of priestcraft. The idea of sacrificing life as a propitiation for sin or as a thing pleasing to the Deity, was prevalent before and since the time of Abraham. The story of Abraham comes as a ray of light amid that darkness. Abraham had committed no sin, yet the heavenly voice which has been heard by all the Prophets suddenly ordered him to sacrifice the creature he loved best on earth, his son. Sadly but not reluctantly, he was about to do so, when the heavenly voice informed him that his will to do so was enough. That Abraham knew the whole truth concerning sacrifice is evident from the Holy Coran, where it is written:

"And who forsakes the religion of Abraham save he who makes himself a fool? Surely We chose him in this world, and surely in the other world he is among the righteous.

"When his Lord said to him: Surrender, he said: I do surrender to the Lord of all the worlds."

The verb which we translate, "surrender" is *Aslam* and the sacrifice of Abraham was Al-Islam—the Surrender of man's will to God, which is the only sacrifice demanded of mankind, not from any need or desire of such a sacrifice on the part of the Creator and Sustainer of the Universe—*"verily Allah is independent of the creatures"*—but for their own sakes, because the will of Allah is the universal will, and every soul which has not made surrender to it is like a swimmer labouring against the tide. This surrender is referred to in the Holy Prophet's saying: "Die before you die." Every soul must taste of death, but those who make this sacrifice taste death only once. That is the lesson of the sacrifice of Abraham. His descendants, both Israelite and Ishmaelite, forgot the lesson while preserving the outward form of animal sacrifice which they regarded as a propitiation of the deity. Most of them lost sight altogether of the essential point of Abraham's sacrifice—complete surrender of the soul to God. That is why the Holy Coran, admonishing them and also the Christians of the period who imagined that salvation could be gained by certain ceremonies, says:

"And who forsakes the religion of Abraham save he who makes himself a fool?"

Any man who willingly accepts the claims of priestcraft, when access to Allah Himself is free to all, does make himself a fool. In Islam there is no priesthood, and no vicarious sacrifice. The only sacrifice is that essential one which we have mentioned, which every human being must perform alone. The slaughtering of animals upon the Id day is not a sacrifice at all, as the word is understood in other religions and as it was understood by the pagan Arabs. It is performed in commemoration of a very great event in the world's religious history, the end of human sacrifices and the dawn of monotheism, and the object of the slaughter, clearly stated, is to feed the poor. All that the Muslim is called upon to sacrifice is the thing or the idea, whatever it may be, which he has placed between himself and God; and that for his own sake. He must be prepared, as Abraham was prepared, at a moment's notice, to stand the hardest test that can be given of the sincerity of his Islam (surrender). That surrender is not a state of despair, but a state of enthusiasm making good work easy. It is no use commemorating the good work of Abraham (on whom be peace) or of Jesus (upon whom be peace) or of our Lord Muhammad (may God bless and keep him) or of the saints and heroes of Islam, unless we seek with all our might to emulate them.

"Those are a people who have passed away. Unto them their works and unto you your works, and you will not be questioned concerning that which they were doing (in their day)".

The state of the Islamic world is such to-day that at any time we may be called upon to prove the truth of our Islam. We Muslims of the British realm, all such of us as stand the test, may have to emigrate. This Feast of Sacrifice, if rightly understood, will help us to prepare ourselves for any fate that may befall us and any effort which we may be called upon to make.

Notes of the Day

Bravo, Guntur!

Things are getting lively in Andhradesa, thanks to the conduct of the Magistracy, the latter have only seconded the efforts of the Willingdonian regime to make Guntur "loyal", and it seems that the town of Guntur was indeed so "loyal" during Lord Willingdon's last gubernatorial visit to that place that he graciously acknowledged the fact in a public speech. If the town were allowed to give a public reception to the members of the Congress Enquiry Committee or if the civic address had been presented to them it would have belied the self-complacent assurance of Lord Willingdon and opened the eyes of the outside world to the real state of public feeling. Section 144 of the Criminal Procedure Code was handy enough and there was an obliging sub-divisional Magistrate to issue an order under the notorious section, whose effect should have been to deter the timid and the self-calculating from joining any demonstration or procession. In spite of their having gratuitously been dubbed "loyal" by Lord Willingdon, the citizens did arrange a procession and gave the distinguished leaders of the country a reception worthy of the glorious record of Andhradesa. Nor did the Collector's vetoing of the proposed address prevent the Municipal Commissioners from presenting the civic address. In consequence of these developments which, we venture to think, the officials should have expected when passing stupid and arbitrary orders, a large number of prominent political workers have been arrested, and we need hardly speculate on the fate that is in store for them. The citizens of Guntur have done well to demonstrate by their conduct that official attempts to maintain a "loyal" atmosphere in the town are futile and that repression, however severe, has not made them cowards.

Mr Horniman.

We referred yesterday to the reply given by Mr. Hayward to Mr. G. B. Trivedi's question regarding Mr. Horniman. We now learn that Mr. J. B. Petit asked a supplementary question with the following result:—

Mr. J. B. Petit: On what grounds is he not allowed to return?

Mr. Hayward: Government have nothing further to add.

Mr. Petit: Then Government have no grounds.

President: "Order, order." "The Hon. Member should not argue the question," said the President.

Comment is unnecessary.

Disillusionment.

The awakening of Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas and Mr. Seshagiri Iyer to the failure of the "Reforms" has not been without its effect in the fold of the Cooperators. The columns of the "Leader" and the "Bengalee" and even "New India" have begun to bear witness to the searching of heart that is being caused among many Liberals in regard to the crimes of omission and commission committed by the ill-starred babe, Dyarchy, and the cavalier manner in which the finances generally and military expenditure in particular have been manipulated without the scantiest regard being paid to the views and feelings of Cooperators. Mr Gokaran Nath Misra led the way to this awakening when at the Bombay Conference of February last he poured forth his tale of woe as a member of the Legislative Council of the United Provinces. Another disillusioned member of the same Council thus narrates his doleful experience of that august assembly in a letter of resignation addressed to Sir Harcourt Butler and published by "The Independent":—

"It is a melancholy fact that the lot of a member of the Legislative Council, as matters stand, is to be associated with or be a silent witness of a policy of rank repression, terrorism, waste of public revenues and increase in taxation. The interests of the poor tenant and labourer are nowhere in the elaborate economy of legislation. A very heavy enhancement in canal rates, a further penalty of 25 p.c. on the enhanced rates, the land settlement with its ever-increasing revenues, the sweeping enterprise of the forest administration, increase in taxation in various directions—these may or may not accord with the growing poverty of the people; but the Government is as resolved to enforce its decrees on these and other matters touching the vital well-being of the people as before the reforms. Legislation to protect vested interests may yet be brought about, this is possible if the interests of the people are betrayed and common cause is made with the bureaucracy to support them in their policy of repression by force. Where the reforms provide some scope to bring about improvement, the attitude of the authorities, who would like to teach responsibility in their own ways, is a sufficient deterrent. The main idea of administration seems to demonstrate the superiority and infallibility of ways and methods hitherto in vogue to the utter disregard of popular representation. Of dyarchy I would say nothing. But judging from practical results it has proved a valuable side help to give god-speed to the policy of repression and persecution and to try fresh fields of taxation. Being fully convinced that there is no scope in the Council to enforce the wishes of the electorate, I have no alternative but to tender my resignation."

The disillusioned M.L.C. is Mr. Narain Das of Brindaban in Muttra District. He has vindicated his self-respect by resigning his membership of the Council.

An Unfortunate Tendency.

It has become the fashion in certain Maharashtra circles to fall foul of their critics. Poor Mr. Khadilkar, the talented Editor of the "Lokamanya", has been singled out for specially personal attacks, because of his unforgivable sin in remaining loyal to the Congress and constantly urging his readers to be so. Nor is it necessary to point out how the "Chronicle" has become the *bete noir* of certain Maharashtrians,—"intellectuals" of course—who have given vent to their very delicate feelings about us in sundry phrases and paragraphs. From a report of a public meeting that was held on the night of Tilak Anniversary under the joint auspices of the Tilak Swarajya Sangha and the Bombay National Union, it is evident that the speakers indulged to the full their love for non-cooperation, Mr. Khadilkar and the "Chronicle." The report which we published on Thursday came from an independent source, whose *bona fides* we have no reason to doubt, and it is difficult to think that one of the speakers—Mr. J. M. Mehta—was misreported, as claimed by Mr. Mehta in his letter which we published yesterday. Our attention has been drawn to a report of the same meeting published by a vernacular contemporary, and on perusing that report of the proceedings, we were agreeably surprised to find that the report sent to us by our correspondent erred on the side of moderation.

Intolerance of Criticism.

In our contemporary's report we note that Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, who corplains about our report being "inaccurate and incomplete" has bestowed on Mr. Khadilkar the choice epithet of "humbug." Nor is that all. He has compared both Mr. Khadilkar and ourselves to the late Mr. Justice Davar, who, it was recalled, had given Lokmanya six years' imprisonment. Mr. Mehta said other things also of both these journals, whose only fault, so far as we can see, is their consistent support of the Congress and Mahatma. Another speaker Dr. Velkar, who followed Mr. Mehta with a Marathi speech, we take it, partly re-echoed the sentiments of his predecessor, adding at times his own touches. Mr. Baptista, who was in the chair, is reported in our vernacular contemporary as specially having been hard on Mr. Khadilkar personally and saying, perhaps as a joke, that he wished to see Mr. Khadilkar in jail! We published yesterday Mr. Mehta's refutation of our report. As regards Mr. Mehta's complaint concerning what he said about Non-Cooperation and Khadi, we are disposed to think, on a comparison of our vernacular contemporary's report, that our report tried to soften the asperities of Mr. Mehta's unwarranted and intolerant strictures. Our contemporary is quite explicit about the views expressed by our complainant, and we regret that Mr. Mehta should have expressed himself in such an equivocal way as to be so definitely misunderstood. We have never questioned the right of individuals to hold what views they please, and no one who knows the policy of the "Chronicle" can accuse us of having shut out any shade of opinion. The fact that we have unhesitatingly given publicity to the Governmental side of opinion on all important matters is sufficient proof of the impartial and cosmopolitan character of our news columns and we conscientiously believe that we have discharged our responsibilities as no other newspaper in India has done. But, this apart, we are constrained to say that the equivocal attitude of Mr. Mehta and his friends is hardly conducive to good understanding, and that personal attacks such as were gratuitously made on Mr. Khadilkar do not say much for the tolerance of those who claim to be the spokesmen among Maharashtra intellectuals and independents.

All in "Public Interest"!

We published some time back the correspondence that passed between Swami Satyadev and the Government of Bombay in connection with the passport that the Swami wanted to go to Germany. The Government have refused to give the required passport to Germany but have given him one to England, and, in parenthesis, the Swami might well thank his stars even for this small mercy in these days of repression. That is not, however, the point. When Mr. Trivedi asked a question in the Legislative Council about Government's reasons for refusing the passport, the highly illuminating answer was given by Sir Ibrahim Rahimtoola that "Government do not consider that it would be consonant with the public interest that they should state their reasons!" It is the undying spirit of autocracy asserting itself again. We need not expect that a Government, which has constantly defied public opinion and taken shelter behind an undefined and undefinable plea of "public safety" and refused to withdraw the ban on Horniman's return to India, would, all of a sudden, become responsive to Indian public opinion. The Council is a huge and costly game of hide and seek and is intended to deceive ignorant outsiders about the constitutional character of Government in India. As regards "public interest", we shall only observe that Government's answer, far from satisfying the most orthodox champions of the Reforms, leads to the speculation whether Government are so afraid of Indians telling the outside world—especially Germany—the truth about the British Government of India that they must gag such people by refusing to give passports even in very urgent cases? In the Swami's case there is a particularly urgent reason why he should go to Germany without any further loss of time and put himself under the treatment of an expert oculist. The only effect of Government's attitude would be either to drive the Swami to some English oculist—the Germans have the higher reputation—or make him forgo his European journey altogether with the certain risk of total loss of sight. The irony of it all is enhanced by the fact that the Swami's present plight is the outcome of callous official treatment to which he was subjected, while he was still under treatment after an operation on one of his eyes.

GREAT EXPERIMENT.

"GIVE IT A FULL TRUST."

FULLER VERSION OF SPEECHES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 3.

The following is a fuller version of the speeches made in the House of Commons by Colonel Wedgwood and Sir Donald Maclean in the debate on Indian Civil Service.

A FATAL POLICY.

Col. Wedgwood said the Prime Minister's speech was beyond doubt a new declaration and one difficult to square with the declaration of August 1917. Was it still his view that their duty as regards India was to see that the country was safe on the lines of Dominions Home Rule? The Prime Minister said they would never deprive the Indian Civil Service of its power or its functions. Was that the doctrine of government or was ultimate self-Government their doctrine? They could not combine the two. The best service the Indian Civil Service could do was to assist in their own extinction. The Prime Minister had threatened to withdraw the reforms already granted but there could be no going back under any circumstances. He hoped they were not going to have a change from the perfectly steadfast settled policy of Mr. Montagu to a policy of alternate threats and concessions, that would be fatal in India as it had been in Ireland. He wished the members when they discussed the Indian questions would give as much attention to having contented India as they did to having contented the Civil Service. In India as in this country civil service existed for the country and not *vice versa*.

A REMARKABLE EXPERIMENT.

Sir Donald Maclean said he was unable to take the same tragic view of the Prime Minister's speech as Col. Wedgwood. He hoped Col. Wedgwood's speech would not give the people of India the most harmful impression that the Prime Minister of this country speaking with great responsibility in the House of Commons threatened the people of India. The view he took of the speech was that the civil service in India was discharging its duty in time of transition of exceptional difficulty and trial.

India as whole was seething with internal difficulties like almost every other nation and there was being carried on there a most remarkable experiment and commencement of a great attempt which they hoped would be successful. They ought, therefore, to exercise a very great care and responsibility in time such as this as to the criticisms they made and advice they tendered. He accepted fully Col. Wedgwood's aphorism that the Civil Service existed for a country and not a country for Civil Service.

A CASE FOR INQUIRY.

He had not read a note of threat or shaking of fist in the Prime Minister's speech. There might have been a little touch of steel but he did not gather it. It seemed to him an effort to let the Civil servants know that in this exceptional time of trial their countrymen here, realising their trust and our trust, were sympathetic with them and were desirous of remedying their grievance. He thought there was a case for an impartial enquiry with Indians themselves on the enquiry. He thought it his duty to say that while they sympathised with the Indian Civil Service they were determined to see a full trust given to that great experiment and that it should not be withdrawn or discouraged. It was impossible to stop progress in India.

"DAILY TELEGRAPH"

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 3.

The Lobby correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" says that nothing is better illustrative of the gravity of the position as regards Indian Civil Service than the fact that at the annual open competitive examination which began on August 1st only twenty out of enghty entrants were British. The remainder were natives of India showing that all efforts to induce candidates to enter were fruitless. The future of the great service which continues to be gloomy, is fraught with the gravest anxiety.

The "Daily Telegraph" in a leading article on the Commons debate says; "The decline of candidates is a deplorable symptom but quite the natural consequence of the spirit of uncertainty and anxiety prevalent in the service. The British service in India must not only be maintained at strength and in the old position of security; it must be recruited from young men of the stamp of those who made it a triumph of administrative genius. If we cannot get the right sort of men we ought to make up our minds to abandon the task of preserving India from unimaginable anarchy which is the only alternative to Indian Government, for the task can only be accomplished on condition that the administration continues in the hands of men of that high type, of ability and character which made it the admiration of the world.

INDIAN ARMY OFFICERS.

COMPENSATION ALLOWANCES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 4.

In the House of Commons replying to a question as to what steps government intended to take to deal with the emergency which the questioner declared, had been created by an arrival of many demobilised officers of the Indian army without any reasonable prospect of securing an employment or training owing to the stagnation of trade, Lord Winterton said that Lord Peel fully realised the necessity of assisting these officers to obtain civil employment. Lord Winterton mentioned the openings arranged overseas and recited compensation allowances and said that Lord Peel did not contemplate further steps.

The questioner said the ex-officers would have no opportunity of earning a livelihood when the allowances ended.

Lord Winterton replied that was the reason the openings were arranged overseas and there was every reason to expect that as a result of the land settlement scheme a very large number of officers would be absorbed and would find a useful and honourable employment for the rest of their lives.

IN INDIA'S INTEREST.

NO FURTHER POLITICAL CONCESSIONS!

SIR H. GRANT CONDEMNS REPRESSION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 4.

Addressing the Liberal Summer School at Oxford Sir Hamilton Grant said the British held India by integrity, justice, efficiency and goodwill and he was hopeful of the future if they continued to cooperate with India on those lines.

"Neither our interests in nor our obligations to India," continued Sir Hamilton, "admit contemplating for a moment the idea of leaving India. We should accept our obligations cheerfully and give India of our best as heretofore."

He condemned the policy of repression and said India had contributed ungrudgingly on a colossal scale to success in the war and she was entitled to expect a generous treatment.

Sir Hamilton expressed the opinion that unless the Government and the present Councils could, before the next elections, take definite steps towards industrial development, self-advancement of India was in danger. The extremist party might come to power and create a deadlock in the administration. He was certain the fiscal question would be one of the most difficult questions and would be the acid test of self-Government in India. Unless the Councils continued to accept a fiscal policy according to the general interests of Britain and the Empire there would be trouble.

Replying to questions Sir Hamilton Grant warmly praised the work of the Christian missions in India.

He advocated a speedy revision of Turkish peace terms and expressed the view that India's political aspirations had now been fairly met and further concessions at present would not be to India's interest as India had yet to find her political feet.

Marquis Crewe who presided declared that the first need of India was an extension of primary education.

MANDATED TERRITORIES.

LEAGUE DISCUSSES EXISTING LAWS OF INHABITANTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Geneva.—The Mandates Commission of the League of Nations, to-day, discussed the question of the existing laws of the inhabitants of B and C mandated territories. The Commission hoped that the mandatories would supply the Secretariat, every year, with statistics regarding the imports of all spirits.

NATIONAL TROOPS' SURPRISE LANDING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 4.

The national troops carried out a surprise landing from the sea in the vicinity of Fenit in Cork, County Kerry.

The Irregulars' attempt to frustrate the disembarkation of the troops completely failed. The *coup* takes the Irregulars' left flank in the rear.

SIR R. V. VASSAR-SMITH DEAD.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Sir Richard Vassar Vassar-Smith, Chairman of the Lloyd's Bank's has died.

(Sir Richard Vassar Vassar-Smith, was born in 1843. He was director of several commercial firms and Banks, and chairman of several public institutions. He was late President and Chairman of the Council of the Institute of Bankers. He was created Baronet in 1917.

INDIAN POST OFFICE.

INADEQUACY OF SUPERVISING STAFF.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 3.

In the Commons Earl Winterton replying to Mr. Ammon said he did not think that the supervising staff of the Indian Post Office was inadequate or that the grievances regarding pay and prospects had caused any deterioration in postal services. He was unaware that officers of the Indian Post Office were denied rights and privileges under revised rules relating to allowances. He would enquire of the Indian Government on these matters.

BRITAIN'S CLAIM.

HOW TO PREVENT PERILOUS SITUATION.

STATEMENT ON REPARATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

In the House of Commons, to-day, detailing the present position of the reparations, Sir Robert Horne understood that Germany, for the most part, had met the requirements of the Reparations Commission, but an arrangement to prevent the flight of capital was easier said than done. Germany had up to the present, paid pounds 415 millions sterling, including cash, ships, the Saar mines, and so forth.

Britain had obtained fifty-six millions of that amount, and, practically, the whole of it had been spent on the Armies of Occupation. Britain had so far collected six millions under the import duties imposed under the Reparations Recovery Act.

"GIVE GERMANY A RESPITE."

Continuing, Sir Robert Horne said Germany's taxation receipts, last year, only covered sixty-three per cent of the domestic expenditure, but it now leaves a balance towards the treaty expenditure. He expressed the opinion that Germany was willing and able to pay considerable sums in reparations if given respite to put herself in a position to do so.

The Minister dispelled the impression that Lord Balfour's letter was in the nature of a suggestion that America should cancel Britain's debt. He declared that, on the contrary, the payment of the debts to America was the foundation of the letter. He pointed out that pounds two millard sterling of the national debt of £7,700 millions sterling was not spent on our own behalf but was lent to the Allies, and illustrating Britain's financial burden he showed that America's national debt represented pounds 147 sterling per head of population, France 132 per head, and Britain 181 per head.

In the debate following on Sir Robert's statement, Mr. Asquith urged the immediate calling down of the reparations to what was really practicable. Britain, he said should forego her share and also forego other indebtedness, not as an act of magnanimity but as a good business.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE EXPLAINS.

Mr. Lloyd George interposed, and said that they should let him meet M. Poincare with a free hand, and he would do his best to come to an arrangement. In the meantime, he did not conceal the danger of driving Germany to despair. He declared a revolutionary Germany in the centre of Europe would be a real world peril, very different from revolutionary Russia. Nevertheless it would be a mistake to run away from a fair and just claim. Germany was in a position of somebody who had put other individuals into the court, had chosen a tribunal in which the fight lost them verdict, and was now being sued for costs not for vindictive reasons, but be-

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GREECE'S DECISION.

TO OCCUPY CONSTANTINOPLE.

REPLY TO POWERS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 4.

Athens.—The Greek reply to the Powers says it had decided to occupy Constantinople in order to obtain a prompt conclusion of peace and if the Powers hinder the exercise of Greece's rights as a belligerent they only make the situation still more complicated.

The note finally draws attention to the danger of delay in definite peace causing fresh calamities for Christians and perpetuating an intolerable state of things in the Near East.

GREEK ADVANCE.

AVERTED BY ALLIED MEASURES.

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Constantinople.—The threatened Greek advance on Constantinople appears to have been averted in consequence of the Allied measures.

The Allied posts overlooking the Chatalja lines have been reinforced, and the British, French and Italian infantry and cavalry have taken up positions on the frontier, which is extremely quiet.

It is estimated that 20,000 Greek troops have been concentrated outside Constantinople.

ALLEGED TURKISH EXCESSES.

GREEK PATRIARCH'S PROPAGANDA.

"FALSE AND NOT OF GOOD FAITH."

PROCLAMATION OF REV. PAPA EFTIM.

LAUSANNE, 15th July, 1922.

The Rev. Papa Eftim Effendi, head of the Turkish Orthodox Church in Anatolia, has lately issued the following proclamation:—

"The Greek Patriarchate of Panar (Constantinople) has addressed a proclamation to the world's public opinion stating that the denials opposed to the accusations of the massacre of the Christians were mere machinations of the Moslem Turks aiming to deceive public opinion in Europe and America.

"I, servant of Christ, can give evidence that the statements of the said patriarchate are false calumnies and I warn men of goodwill and faith against these lies.

"In its proclamation, the Greek patriarchate of Panar pretends that 'the Bishop of Kara-Hissar-Sharki, Rev. Provasius, has undergone tortures at the hands of the Turks who shaved his beard entirely.' This accusation is altogether without foundation. Rev. Provasius has never been the object of any ill-treatment. He enjoys the respect of all, and is quietly occupied with his religious duties. He is still the Metropolitan designated by the suffrage of the community.

"The said patriarchate mentions also the name of Rev. Procopius, the Metropolitan of Konia. The truth is, however, that the Rev. Procopius, who had participated in a manifestation during the insurrection at Konia, was pardoned by the National Government out of respect for his ecclesiastical position, in spite of the severe punishment inflicted upon the Moslem Turks involved in that affair. Not only was he pardoned, but he enjoys absolute tranquillity and is not troubled by anyone.

"The proclamation in question speaks of the Bishop of Adalia. This latter was invited to come to Caesaria by the will of the Christian community. His change of place can by no means be qualified as deportation. He has been everywhere respected, his travel facilitated. The allegations of the Panar are false, and not of good faith. All the persons spoken of in the proclamation of Panar are safe and sound, living in perfect tranquillity.

"As for the sentence of death passed by the Independence Tribunal on my cousin, I can materially prove that the responsibility lies, before all, with the patriarchate of Panar. This latter was sending money to the prelates in Asia-Minor in order to excite troubles in the country. It equally sent money to myself. I used the amount of money I received for the building of a public bath-house for the community, without giving heed or helping the Panar in its schemes. I learnt that the patriarchate of Panar had equally sent some money to my native town, Ak-Dagh-Madeni. I immediately wrote there and warned the people against the intrigues of the Panar. Papa Yorghi Effendi, my relative, gave no heed to my advice; he let himself be influenced by the Panar and took part in the troubles of the Pontus. He was arrested and judged by the Independence Tribunal which punished the guilty and acquitted the innocent. Papa Yorghi had led many persons to open and armed revolt against the State. His treason was not excusable; but the fault falls principally upon the Greek patriarchate of Panar, the cause of all this. The Christians of Anatolia have sworn not to pay any attention to the intrigues of the Panar and to baffle its criminal designs. May this warning suffice.

"I pray the Lord, that He may grant Humanity, peace and salvation. Amen.

(Sd.) "PAPA EFTIM."

CONDITION OF NEAR EAST PEACE.

SOLUTION OF ADRIANOPLE DIFFICULTY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 3.

Fethi Bey, the Kemalist Minister of the interior has arrived in London to discuss the Near East peace proposals. He called at the Foreign Office yesterday. In press interviews he explained the well-known Kemalist demands and said that if the Adrianople difficulty could be removed they would very soon be able to re-establish peace. He was prepared to discuss all the questions affecting British interests in the Near East both from political and economic standpoints and he hoped the new policy of rapprochement and good understanding between Turkey and Britain might be brought about.

GREEK ATTEMPTS AT AUTONOMY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 3.

Smyrna.—Autonomy of Ionia has not yet been officially proclaimed but the Greek Government has authorised the inauguration of autonomous administration.

"EGYPT" INQUIRY ENDS.

MR. BUCKNILL'S DEFENCE OF LASCARS.

"LACK OF SYSTEM & ORGANISATION."

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

The closing stages in the enquiry into the circumstances of the "Egypt" disaster were entered into to-day.

Mr. Bucknill, who was instructed by the India Office to represent the Indian crew, said that he hoped no Lascar would read Mr. Cotter's speech.

Note:—Mr. Cotter's President of the Marine Workers' Union denounced the conduct of the Indian crew i nhis speech yesterday, and said that their only thought was saving their own skins.)

MR. BUCKNILL'S SEVERE STRICTURES.

But if any Lascar did read it, said Mr. Bucknill, he must ask himself whether there was any sense of gratitude or fair play in Britain. "It must hurt a Lascar to the called a coward after all he did for us during the War. The only consolation he has is to await the publication of the Court of Enquiry's report and see his fellow-countrymen get sympathetic and just judgment at the Court's hands."

Mr. Bucknill contended that there had been inadequate time for boat-drill before the "Egypt" left Tilbury. He submitted that the Indian crew were entitled to leadership and orders in a difficult situation. This had not been available, though he did not say that it was anybody's fault.

Mr. Bucknill declared that the evidence shewed that natives did the given task faithfully, and stuck to them; but; in the absence of leadership, they became confused.

CONDUCT OF "SEINE" OFFICERS CRITICISED.

Counsel for the P. and O. Company submitted that the Board of Trade's case against the Company left out of sight the shortness of time and the fact that the ship had an extraordinary list after the collision. He said that if some of the natives crowded into the boats and refused to get out, what was more likely than that allegations were made that they did not know what they had to do in such circumstances. He submitted that even if some of the natives did lose their heads, the most highly organised bodies of men sometimes stampeded.

He said that he did not know why the system should be attacked because a great disaster like a big ship's turning turtle had occurred. He commented on the absence of the owners, master and officers of the "Seine," notwithstanding the fact that they had received every invitation to attend. He contended that the "Egypt" had been travelling slowly and carefully and declared that the P. and O.'s Red Book instructions could not be improved.

The Solicitor-General, addressing the Court, referred to the P. and O.'s great history. He said that it was a matter of regret that the Board of Trade had had to present the case that the Company or its officers had been, in any way, open to blame. He submitted that the "Egypt" had been travelling at an immoderate speed, having regard to the fog. He thought it a matter for consideration whether the arrangement for closing the bulkhead doors in emergency was sufficient, and contended that there was a grave absence of discipline, and instead of discipline there had been confusion.

STRONG INDICTMENT OF LACK OF SYSTEM.

Witness charged the Company and the Marine Dock Superintendent, also officers, particularly the captain and the Chief Officer, as being variously responsible for the want of discipline. He framed a strong indictment on the lack of system, organisation and responsibility and totally insufficient training. He did not doubt that Lascars were very good seamen when properly led, but it was essential that White officers and the crew should be able to speak their language. He believed that a general sense of security was probably a post-War reaction which caused everybody to forget the need of boat drill.

"REPORT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."

At the conclusion of the speeches, the President of the Court said that the Court would take some time to consider the case. He hoped to issue a report as soon as possible.

WHO IS FINALLY RESPONSIBLE?

The Solicitor-General said that if any blame attached to the officers of the "Egypt" it was not right or fair that the blame should be left on their shoulders only. In the matter of discipline it was the ultimate authority who was ultimately responsible. If it were found that there had been a slackening of discipline in service it was from the Chairman of the Board itself that the tightening of bonds of discipline would come. If the Court found the Captain or the Chief Officer to blame it should blame more the system and the final authority responsible for the maintenance of the system.

BAVARIA'S AUTONOMY.

NO INTERFERENCE FROM IMPERIAL GOVT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Berlin.—A conciliatory reply has been received to President Ebert's letter of the 29th July which assured Count Lerchenfeld, the Bavarian Premier, that the Imperial Government did not contemplate interfering with Bavaria's autonomy. President Ebert is inviting Count Lerchenfeld to come to Berlin and arrange a settlement.

LONDON LETTER.

TRAFFICKING IN TITLES.

PRIME MINISTER AND AMAZING ALLEGATIONS.

AN EFFETE LEGISLATIVE.

(By B. G. HORNIMAN.)

LONDON, July 20.

The chief political entertainment of the past week has been the discussion in both Houses of Parliament on the distribution of "Honours." Of course everyone knows, and has known for years, that titles, small and great, are sold by the Government for contributions to Party Funds. Everyone knows that there is a regular tariff. Both the great parties in the State, Unionist and Liberal, that have alternately held office have been equally guilty in the use of this corrupt means of maintaining their power. It was only natural that the reign of a Coalition Government should lead to an intensification of the abuse that has gone beyond even the bounds of decency which the tolerant British electorate is willing to wink at, since it has meant that there have been two party coffers to fill instead of one, for the Coalition does not extend to a pooling of financial resources for electioneering purposes.

Probably, however, the matter would never have come before Parliament with the dimensions of a first-class scandal, had it not been for the split in the Tory ranks caused by the Die-hard revolt against the Coalition, for it is the extreme Tory wing, who, in their anxiety to bring the Coalition Government to grief, have suddenly awakened to the iniquity of a system, which in the past they have been as ready to condone as those, whom they are now fiercely denouncing. At the outset Mr. Lloyd George, knowing how deeply involved his opponents, as well as himself, are in the system, took the matter very lightly, but the storm gathered such force, and the allegations as to the extent to which titles have been sold to undesirable persons were so grave that he was forced ultimately, much against his will, to accede to the demand in both Houses for a discussion. The Prime Minister is too clever, though, to be caught by such simple-minded people as he has to deal with in the present Parliament and his critics found the ground cut from under their feet by a cunningly drafted Government amendment which provides for the setting up of a Royal Commission,—not to enquire into the scandals which have been the main topic of the newspapers for weeks past, but "to consider and advise on the procedure to be adopted in future to assist the Prime Minister in making recommendations."

Safely Shelved.

The matter may, therefore, be regarded as having been safely shelved, for Royal Commissions of this kind are notoriously merely a device for putting inconvenient questions into cold storage. The debates, both in the Commons and in the Lords, have been singularly interesting, nonetheless, and have provided more convincing testimony of the effete and corrupt condition to which the British political system has degenerated. That the distribution of honours is always a corrupting and degrading influence in the public life of a community needs no demonstration to Indian readers. But we have reached a stage now in this country, where we actually have the first minister of the Crown getting up in Parliament to defend the system as it exists at the present day as one of the commendable features of a well-organised democracy; and it was because Britain is a well-organised democracy, on these lines, according to Mr. Lloyd George, that we won the war and beat the Germans, who had not the advantages in this respect that Great Britain possesses! The growth of the distribution of titles and honours during the past ten or fourteen years, said Mr. George, had only been commensurate with the growth of the population and wealth of the country—the allusion to the latter consideration evoking great hilarity among the cynical "hard-faced men", who fill the Government benches and are quick to appreciate an unconscous jest against themselves.

While defending and even attempting to justify the conferment of honours in return for the contribution to party funds, Mr. George paradoxically claimed that no Prime Minister ever knew whether the men, whose names were submitted to him, had or had not contributed to party funds. That no doubt is literally true, but it is, of course, childish to pretend that the Prime Minister does not get to know that it is essential that certain persons who are recommended by the Party Whips for honours should be included in the list forwarded to the King. I remember a Viceroy of India telling me once, that he knew nothing of the names sent up to him from the provincial governments for honours, beyond what was stated in the official recommendation. But that does not prevent very undesirable reasons existing for the recommendations by the provincial officials. The Prime Minister of England, however, as the head of a political party, is much nearer to the fount of dishonour, and if he has no official knowledge of a contribution to party funds he knows well enough when there is no other reason for the giving of a peerage or a knighthood to some obscure and unworthy person but that he has performed some substantial service to the Party organisation.

The Duke's Amazing Allegations.

The most notable allegations have been made, curiously enough, by the Duke of Northumberland, who quoted numerous instances of persons who have been offered titles for money. According to the Duke, and it is not as surprising declaration to those who know anything of the matter, Whitehall is full of touts, who run about

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ARRESTS AT GUNTUR.

"AN OUTRAGE UPON HUMAN LIBERTY."

PUBLIC PROTEST.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, Aug. 4.

A public meeting held in Guntur after the reading of the addresses of welcome to members of the Civil Disobedience committee and the Khilafat committee, the leaders made speeches in reply and one and all of them referred to the Collector's arbitrary action in voting the proposed Municipal address to leaders. Sj. S. Kasturi Ranga Iyengar made an important speech. He spoke as follows:—

My respected friends Panditji, Dr. Ansari and Maulana Sahib have already given expression to their views regarding the addresses we were presented with this evening. I only wish to put before you one point which has struck me in relation to what has happened to-day after our arrival. You all know that the members of the two committees have been touring throughout the country in order to consider what steps should be taken with regard to the present political conditions. The district of Guntur has been for some time reputed for its manifestation of public spirit and for its present quiescent condition. The work of this committee has had an object lesson in what has happened to-day in this town. The present political conditions of the country are best typified in what has happened to-day.

ARBITRARY ACTION OF THE COLLECTOR.

In the first place the resolution for the presentation of an address by the Municipal Councillors has been unjustifiably vetoed by the collector and this vast gathering has shown the patriotism and public spirit of the people of this town in absolutely rejecting the decision of the Collector. I put it to you whether the claim that in the matter of municipal administration we have got ample self Government can at all be justified, when we see the Collector rescinding such a resolution in the manner he has done. Again early this morning as many as 300 citizens of this town were arrested without any apparent authority under the law. We were told yesterday an order under Section 144 was served upon my esteemed friend Sj. Prakasam that volunteers from outside the district should not come, an order in itself illegal and which has had no ground whatever in law or in justice. But the manner in which it has been executed to-day upon nearly 300 men of this town, I consider to be an outrage upon human liberty in this town (hear hear). Since the people in this district showed their public spirit in no unmistakeable manner sometime ago, we have had illegal and oppressive orders.

"A COUNTRY NOT WORTH LIVING IN."

A country in which such improper and arbitrary orders are being passed by men dressed in brief authority is not worth living in (hear hear). The most elementary and fundamental rights of our people are being trampled under foot by men who belong to this country. As I said before our committees are now engaged in the task of applying their minds to the present political conditions in order to see how best to remedy the existing state of things. In the meantime I trust you will not be discouraged by such illegal and oppressive orders as you are the victims of and I hope you will earnestly set to work to carry on the constructive programme which the Congress has laid upon you. The Collector in his order to the Municipal Council says, this committee is now engaged in finding out whether further attempts against law and order could be made and that it is an act of impertinence against the established Government. He is an officer apparently absolutely ignorant of the creed of non-violent non-cooperation, which is the creed of the Congress too. If it is impertinence at all, it is impertinence on his part to have characterised the Committee and its work in the terms in which he has done (hear hear). I thank you again for the reception you have given us.

ARRESTS AT LAHORE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, August 4.

Two Khilafat Volunteers have been arrested by the police under a warrant while joining in a procession through the main street of the city.

AN EDITOR ARRESTED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Aug. 4.

Mr. K. Shomanand Rehau, Editor of the "Bharat Tilak," a Hindi newspaper, has been arrested on a bailable warrant issued by the Chief Presidency Magistrate on a charge of sedition under 124 A, I.P.C. The accused being a non-cooperator refused bail.

HYDERABAD PUBLIC HALL.

UNDER POLICE GUARD.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

HYDERABAD (Sind), Aug 3.

In consequence of the local public hall having been taken possession of by the police, who kept it under a strong guard although the public had been allowed by the President of the Municipality to hold a meeting, the assembled people proceeded to the Queen's Garden, near the hall, and held the meeting. It is said that the District Magistrate had ordered the police to guard the Hall on the requisition of some of the nominated councillors and others of the Aman Sabhas, who had stated that there was likelihood of a breach of peace.

A special meeting of the Municipality has been convened to consider the matter.

C. D. COMMITTEE.

MR. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR'S EVIDENCE

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Aug. 4.

Mr. A. Rangaswami Iyengar, Editor, "Swadesha Mitra", who was the first to give evidence before the Civil Disobedience Committee while it was in Madras, in his written statement, does not think that this province, as a whole or even in part is ready to start civil disobedience of any kind and, as part of the Congress programme for the achievement of its objects, he considers it undesirable for any province or class to undertake isolated action in regard to civil disobedience. He is one of those who believe that a change in the present programme of the Congress is urgently required in the direction of more active political work of normal type than non-cooperators have so far embarked upon. He does not think that terrorism, as such, could be said to have been resorted to by the authorities of this province although the treatment of political prisoners in jail had been very unsatisfactory in consequence of variations in temper of individual officers controlling jails and also the conditions under which political prisoners were thrown in with other prisoners in jail. As regards non-violence he thought the right of private defence should be preserved intact for every Indians as one of his fundamental rights and so far as the Congress was concerned non-violence could only be a means to an end, viz., achievement of liberty for the Motherland and its citizens and the philosophy of turning the other cheek has yet not been accepted as a political axiom in the Congress programme.

C. D, COMMITTEE ARRIVES AT CALCUTTA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Aug. 4.

Members of the Civil Disobedience Enquiry Committee arrived here last night by Madras mail and were received by a large crowd at the station. The members of the Congress Committee and Non-Cooperation volunteers escorted them. No procession was organised owing to a prohibitory order under Section 144, Criminal Procedure Code, being in operation. To-day the Inquiry Committee are examining witnesses. Dr. Ansari with other members of the Khilafat Enquiry Committee went this morning to Jumma Masjid for Id prayers. Members of the Civil Disobedience Enquiry Committee leave to-night by Puri express for Calcutta. (?)

Yesterday the Congress offices at Puri and Satyabali were searched by the police.

FRONTIER PROVINCE ADMINISTRATION.

PUNJAB NOT TO TAKE OVER ADMINISTRATION OF AGENCIES.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, August 3.

When the Punjab Legislative Council met to-day the debate on Mr. Malik Feroze Khan's resolution on the Frontier Province was resumed and two interesting speeches were delivered by Mr. Manoharlal and Sir John Maynard.

Mr. Manoharlal in a forceful speech pointed out advantage of the amalgamation of the Frontier Province with the Punjab and refuted the arguments submitted by the members opposing the amalgamation. He quoted Sir Macworth Young in support of his contention and said that the bold experiment made in 1901 in separating the Frontier from the Punjab had hopelessly failed. The system of administration in the Frontier was radically found wanting and were there not he asked, a thousand indications that the Government of India had not shown the slightest inclination to pass over the Frontier from their hands.

DIFFICULTIES OF ADMINISTRATION.

Sir John Maynard said he actually found from speeches that some members were so convinced that the one remedy for all evils in the Frontier was for the Punjab to take over the burden on its shoulders. He was well aware of the extraordinary difficulties which the officers of the Frontier had to face and could well realise the difficulties of the Province, when he thought of the dangerous neighbours. He dissociated himself from the suggestion that amalgamation was the only remedy. There were improvements which could be brought about in the Frontier Province as in other provinces.

Sir John then referred to the possibilities of the future of the province and said, if they added the population of five settled districts they would inevitably raise the question of the Lucknow compact, the question of distribution of seats, the representation of Hindus and Mahomedans and also the question of a third community, the Sikhs. He would not like to see the question again raised.

The resolution was then put to vote, clause by clause: That the administration of the five settled districts and adjoining agencies should be under one administration being put to vote was carried by 39 to 19 votes.

Clause (2) That in no case is this province prepared to take over the administration of the agencies was next put to vote and carried, none voting against.

Clause (3) that reforms should be given to the Frontier within the province and not by amalgamation with the Punjab was carried by 38 to 23 votes. Four members of Government did not vote for this clause. Sir John Maynard announcing that they were neutral on this question.

Clause (4) a. was withdrawn by the mover on an appeal from Sir John Maynard to drop the question. This related to the distribution of new seats in case amalgamation was considered necessary.

Clause (4) b. :—that the cost from time to time of the administration of territories so amalgamated, over and above the income derived therefrom, should be borne by the Government of India was also carried when put to vote.

The preamble was then put to the council and carried. The whole resolution as amended by the exclusion of clause 4 (a) was then put and adopted amidst applause.

Another resolution recommending Government to recommend to Government of India to remove he restrictions placed on the export of wheat was also carried by 52 to 5 vote in spite of Lala Harkishen Lal's assurance that no policy had been enunciated by either the Punjab Government or the Government of India that the embargo on export of wheat was permanent and that both Governments would again consider the question next month.

LONDON LETTER.

(Continued from previous page.)

offering to obtain titles in return for substantial contributions, to party funds and the handsome commission which they expect to earn for themselves. Declaring that he was in possession of the actual letters to justify his statement, the Duke read from one of them, in which the writer said that he was authorised to offer the recipient a baronetcy or a knighthood, "not of the order of the British Empire, no nonsense of that kind, but the real thing." The letter went on to quote the tariff,—£35,000 for a baronetcy and £12,000 for a knighthood— and concluded with the assurance that "nothing need be paid until you are absolutely assured that the honour will be given." In the House of Commons, Mr. Ronald MacNeill made very serious charges in regard to two recent recipients of peerages. One of these,—Lord Forres, formerly, Sir Archibald Williamson, he declared, was a member of a firm that had been guilty of trading with enemy firms during the war, in a way that was of definite advantage to the Germans in the conduct of the war. The other, Lord Waring, head of the well-known furnishing firm, had used the opportunity of the war to make money for himself at the expense of the shareholders of his company. "Why" he asked "was this business man, whose transactions over a series of years resulted in losing sums of money to his shareholders and the enrichment of himself singled out for this honour?"

Lord Waring.

Lord Waring, who was in the Strangers Gallery, not having yet had time to acquire the restraint which befits the wearer of a title, astonished the House by rising in his place and denouncing the statement as false, and had to be asked by the attendants to leave the gallery. The next evening he made a statement in the Lords, in which he declared that the war work, alluded to—the making of aeroplane parts,—which had proved so profitable had been done by his company and not by him personally and had benefitted the shareholders as well as himself. The "dope" press describes this as a complete exoneration of Lord Waring from the charge made against him. As a matter of fact another peer, Lord Armaghdale pointed out that Lord Waring did not dispute the fact that the shareholders of the original company, which went into liquidation, had not been recouped by Lord Waring for the loss of capital they had sustained while Lord Waring was Chairman and Managing Director. No part of the profits made by Lord Waring during the war, he said, went to paying the shareholders or making up the deficiency of the debenture holders. Lord Armaghdale states, uncompromisingly, that the debenture and preference shareholders in the old concern have received no part of any of the profits made by Lord Waring during the war and the ordinary shareholders are in the same position. So the question, remains why a business man, who had no claim to be ennobled on any other grounds receive a title.

A Low Standard of Morality.

As to Lord Forres, he has nothing to say in his defence but that if he traded with enemy firms, which he did, he did so with the knowledge and consent of, and even, for part of the time, under licence from the Government, which constitutes a legal but not a moral acquittal. That it should be put forward as a justification and accepted as such by a large part of the press, merely shows what a low standard of commercial and political morality prevails both with business men and the Government in this country.

Then there is the case of the peerage offered to Sir Henry Robinson, which was the subject of a vigorous protest by the South African Government, and the case of another new peer, who was actually convicted at the Old Bailey during the war of trading with the enemy. Added to this has been the lavish distribution of honours to the press and the numbers of titles conferred on persons in whose record nothing can be found to justify the distinctions of which they have been made the object.

An Effete Legislative.

That the House of Commons is a hopelessly effete body has seldom been more clearly demonstrated, than by the ease with which Mr. Lloyd George managed to ride off on this occasion with the assertion that "Neither by this Government nor by any of its predecessors has any system of trafficking in honours been sanctioned in this country."

In the face of the most damaging and disgraceful charges of the giving of honours to undeserving persons in return for contributions to party funds, and the definite statements put forward by the Duke of Northumberland, backed by documentary evidence, the Prime Minister offers an equivocal denial of this character, refuses any enquiry into the past and offers a perfunctory enquiry into the manner in which the same system should be conducted in the future. In any other country such a scandal would have resulted in the immediate downfall of the Government.

BAKR-ID FESTIVAL IN CALCUTTA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, August 4.

The Mahomedans of Calcutta and the suburbs celebrated the Bakr-Id Festival today by offering prayers in mosques, observing "Quorbani" and embracing each other. Usual sacrifices were held in mosques.

BRITAIN'S CLAIM.

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cause the winning and unwilling parties wish to get their cash back.

He emphasised the folly of under-estimating Germany's capacity owing to the present trade depression, and depicted the possibility of trade recovery finding Germany without an internal debt and with the external debt fixed when things were pretty bad, as compared with England who had pounds seven milliard sterling internal, and two milliard external, debts. He described the inter-Allied Conference, on August 7th, as a meeting of creditors to which all were going on equal terms. Britain was determined to give reasonable sympathetic consideration to the devastation of France and Belgium. Britain was the last country in the world to be accused of the want of sympathy with France and Belgium. "We intend to see everybody gets fairplay and give fairness to Germany and justcie to France, but justice also to the people of our own land."

VALUE OF MARKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 4.

The German marks opened at 4,000 to the pound sterling.

Germany's reply to France created nervousness, and, later, the buying was influenced by the forecast of the reparations programme and the marks closed at 3,300 to the pound.

BALFOUR NOTE & AMERICA.

NO OFFICIAL COGNISANCE TO BE TAKEN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 3.

Washington.—It is understood that the Treasury takes up the position that the American Debt Commission must continue funding operations without regard to the disposition shown by Britain to cancel international wartime indebtedness. As Lord Balfour's note was not addressed to the United States Government, the Treasury is of opinion that official cognisance of its transmission should not be taken by the United States.

TYPICAL AM ERICAN COMMENTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

New York.—The following are quoted as examples of American comments on the Balfour Note:—

The "Tribune" says that general cancellation of debts will mean that Uncle Sam will bear the burden of letting Germany off.

The "World" declares that Mr. Lloyd George has announced the failure of the Conference with M. Poincare before it has started, and he has tried to throw the blame on the United States. This may prove a capital blunder. If the note represents the unalterable position of Britain, there is no hope of a settlement of the European situation. American opinion is not ready for the general cancellation of the debts, but she is gradually becoming ready for the cancellation of the debts that really cannot be collected; but the United States will act only when it is demonstrated that Britain, France and Germany have definitely started to return to economic sanity.

CANCELLATION "POLITICALLY IMPOSSIBLE."

"The New York Times" suggests that the note warns American ears by intimating that the United States is a hard-hearted creditor standing in the way of a general generous forgiving of the debts, which the British Government would be only too happy to undertake outright.

The cancellation of the War debt by the United States, continues the "New York Times," is at present politically impossible. American sentiment in favour of the cancellation may yet be developed and then it will be found that the United States is not so mercenary and uncompromising as the note implies.

NO EFFECT ON AMERICAN POLICY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Washington.—The Treasury announces officially that the Balfour Note will not change American policy towards the foreign debts.

GERMAN PRESS COMMENTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 4.

Berlin.—Hitherto there has been little comment on the Balfour Note to the Allies. "Der Tag" says "Britain in cleverest form links up the general indebtedness of the Allies and the United States with German Reparations. The concluding portion of the Note is important for Germany as being in opposition to violent French demands, thus foreshadowing at least diplomatic support for Germany by England in the present controversy." The paper thinks combined Anglo-American action is imminent.

'Boersen Courier' says the Note is regarded in political circles as a fresh proof that the Reparations problem is nearing solution.

BI-AMMAN'S TOUR IN PUNJAB.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, August 4.

The mother of the Ali Brothers and Begum Mahomed Ali are expected to pay a visit to the Punjab on the 20th instant. They propose to make a tour in the province in connection with Khilafat and Swaraj campaign.

BOTH WIN!

AN ALLAHABAD FIASCO.

CO-OPERATORS FALL OUT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Aug. 4.

A meeting convened to-day to consider certain public questions including the extension of Sir Harcourt Butler's term of office ended in a screaming farce.

Mr. Kunzru and Mr. D. C. Banerji and other conveners, after about half an hour had elapsed from the time fixed for the meeting, announced that owing to the meagre attendance due to the rains, the meeting be adjourned. The Hon. Mr. Raza Ali who apparently supported the extension of Sir Butler's term of office strongly opposed any postponement as the meeting was well advertised and there were no grounds for postponement. Several speakers then followed supporting either side and amid the confusion of voices Mr. H. N. Kunzru's party bodily walked out of the hall. The Hon. Mr. Raza Ali voted Khan Sahib Mohamed Baque Khan to the chair and the motion demanding an extension of equality of rights to Indians overseas was carried. While the question of District Boards Bill was being discussed the hall began to fill up slowly, several of the other party returning to the hall reinforced by additions, mostly students, who were Liberals, as Mr. Raza Ali's party chose to call them, and who found themselves in a majority, and a scene of disorder commenced in shouting disorder commenced in shouting proved and stamping of feet and interrupting of any speech. The appeals of the chairman proved futile and a demand was made whether the meeting should continue or not be put to the meeting. The chairman being pressed hard did so and, of course, those against the meeting continuing, being in the majority, there was a shout of "All, all." Those against made a poor show naturally and the chairman had to declare the meeting closed, both the parties claiming victory.

GREECO-TURKISH PEACE.

SUGGESTION TO DISFAVOUR GREEK AGGRESSION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 3.

In the Commons to-day, replying to Lt.-Commander Kenworthy, Mr. Lloyd George said negotiations were still proceeding between Government and the Allies regarding the steps for securing Graeco-Turkish peace. As to whether Government had impressed on the Greek Government that the continuance of hostilities in Asia Minor was disfavoured, the Premier pointed out that the Greeks had accepted armistice but not the Turks and, therefore, representations in the sense suggested seemed rather out of place.

PREMIER'S ASSURANCE.

MEASURES AGAINST OCCUPATION OF CONSTANTINOPLE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 4.

In the House of Commons to-day in reply to questions Mr. Lloyd George said that according to the Government's information, the recent Greek measures in Asia Minor did not constitute Ionia an independent state although some degree of local autonomy appeared to have been established and promises had been made to protect the local Christians from deportation and massacre. Fuller details were awaited.

In view of the fact, added the Premier, that any action at present would obviously be subject to provisions of the final settlement no representations on the part of the Government to the Greek Government appeared to be called for.

Mr. Lloyd George gave an assurance that the Government would take measures to prevent the Greeks occupying Constantinople while Parliament was in recess.

M. POINCARE'S LONDON PROGRAMME.

A FORECAST.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Paris.—The "Petit Parisien" publishes a forecast of M. Poincare's London programme. This includes willingness to reduce the total German debt on the condition that Germany demonstrates her good faith by paying up the first fifty milliard gold marks and on the condition that there shall be a common cancellation of the inter-Allied debts.

All indemmity payments shall be devoted to the reparations and with the exception of Belgium's ten per cent and Italy's one per cent. France shall receive the whole of them.

M. Poincare will probably outline more stringent measures for controlling German finances, including the stabilisation of currency, and compelling Germany to hand over a percentage of capital in her industries and concerns, which shall serve as a pledge for a loan or be expressly devoted to the reparations.

STATUS OF TANGIER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Madrid.—The Premier's secretary has announced that the status of Tangier will be discussed at the Conference in London during the second fortnight in September.

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HONOURS.

COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY APPOINTED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

In the House of Commons, to-day, Mr. Lloyd George announced that the composition of the Commission which is to enquire into the conferment of honours was as follows:—

Lord Dunedin. (Chairman.) (Conservative.)
Lord Denma. (Liberal.)
Mr. Arthur Henderson. (Labour.)
Mr. Evelyn Cecil (Unionist.)
Sir Samuel Hoare. (Unionist.)
Sir Croydon Marks. (Liberal.)

In addition, the Duke of Devonshire had been invited but had not yet replied. The Prime Minister stated that the terms of reference would not involve, a retrospective enquiry.

BRITAIN'S HOME DEFENCE.

PROVISION FOR 500 AEROPLANES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

In the House of Commons, to-day, Mr. Lloyd George stated that the Government had decided to adopt the Air Ministry's scheme providing five hundred aeroplanes for Home defence at the increased cost of pounds two millions sterling per annum. Nine hundred thousand of this amount would be provided from the Air Ministry economies. Considerabl orders for the execution of the programme would be placed privately in the course of the current year. The question of further expansion would be considered in the light of the financial situation in 1923 and the air policy of other Powers.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE'S HEALTH.

INCREASE IN HEART WEAKNESS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, August 4.

A grave Bulletin with regard to Lord Northcliffe who is suffering from heart trouble was issued this morning. It says there has been some increase in heart weakness and general exhaustion and the condition gives rise to great anxiety.

END OF ITALIAN STRIKE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 3.

Rome.—The strike has ended.

SITUATION IN ITALY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 4.

Rome.—The tension between the Fascisti and the Communists is becoming acuter and disturbances accompanied by casualties have occurred at Genoa and Ancona. Nevertheless, the Government is confident of restoring a complete order in a few days.

CHARGE AGAINST AN N. C. O.

GOVT'S APPEAL AGAINST ACQUITTAL.

DISMISSED BY PATNA HIGH COURT.

(Associated Press.)

PATNA, Aug. 3.

Judgment in a very important political case in which Government had appealed against the acquittal of a Non-cooperator and applied for enhancement of sentence, was delivered by the Patna High Court to-day. The respondent, along with certain other persons, were convicted by a Magistrate of Daltonganj under section 145 I. P. C. for holding a procession without a license. On appeal the Judicial Commissioner set aside the conviction of the respondent under the Indian Penal Code but convicted him under the Police Act and directed him to pay a fine of one rupee only. The local Government appealed from the decision of the Judicial Commissioner and it was contended on behalf of the Government that the order of the Superintendent of Police forbidding a procession without a license being under the statutary authority, was law within the meaning of the second clause of Section 141 I. P. C. and that police was justified in executing that law by ordering the procession to disperse and that the persons constituting the procession could be proceeded against under the Indian Penal Code of being members of an unlawful assembly, if they disobeyed the orders for dispersal.

"NO JUSTIFICATION FOR CONVICTION."

The High Court unanimously came to the conclusion that the ground was not sufficient to justify a conviction. But while Mr. Justice Mullick and Mr. Justice Coutts came to the conclusion that persons holding a procession without a license could be convicted as being or continuing to be members of an unlawful assembly, if they disobeyed an order for dispersal given by the police. Mr. Justice Das, in the course of a lengthy and interesting judgment, dissented from that view. Justice Das pointed out that the issue raised by the Government went far beyond the facts of the present case and affected the liberty of the subject in relation to what he might lawfully do in a lawful manner. He thought that while the Court would never sanction a breach of the peace, it was necessary for the Court to assert from time to time and as often as possible that the subject had his rights as well as his duties and that the Court would sternly repress any attempt on the part of the Executive Government to tamper with such rights and liberties and in order, in the garb of an order for the maintenance of law and order, to make a very serious inroad upon the liberty of the subject. Dealing with the case, the learned Judge thought that there was no powers in the police either to prohibit the procession or to order it to disperse except when there had been a violation of a condition of the license and that powers to prohibit was not incident to a power to regulate and license. According to the learned Judge the order passed by the Superintendent of Police was illegal and the police had no right to order the procession to disperse. The learned Judge also thought that the offence created by the Police Act was a new offence unknown to the general law and as the Police Act provided a penalty for disobedience of any valid order under the Police Act, a person disobeying such an order could only be proceeded against under the Police Act and could not be convicted under the general law.

COMPANY VS. STATE MANAGEMENT OF RAILWAYS.

INDIAN MINING FEDERATION'S SUGGESTIONS.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Aug. 2.

The Committee of the Indian Mining Federation has addressed a letter to the Governments of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, and the Railway Board on the subject of future management of Indian Railways. The Federation maintain that the problem to be solved is not whether India should materialise her railways as a bulk of the Indian railways are already owned by the State, but whether Government should entrust the management of the major part of Indian railway system to private Companies. The Committee point out that the Government at present pays about a crore of rupees annually by way of surplus profits to the Managing Companies and in their opinion this, apart from other considerations, definitely establishes the case for direct management of the state-owned railways. They add that while the *personnel* of the Railway Administrative Board may be drawn chiefly from businessmen, a provision should be made for the representation of the general travelling public and urge that the board should be, as far as possible, an elected body, Government's right of nomination being limited to twenty per cent. of members and that at least half should be elected representatives of purely Indian interests.

GRATUITIES TO RY. SERVANTS.

CENTRAL LABOUR BOARD'S SUGGESTION.

(Associated Press.)

The following resolution has been wired by the Honorary Secretary of the Central Labour Board to H. E. the Viceroy in connection with the recent Government Notification with regard to the gratuities of the Railway servants:—

This meeting of the members of the B. B. & C. I. Railway Workmen's Union and G. I. P. Railway Workmen's Union held under the auspices of the Central Labour Board cordially conveys the best thanks to H. E. the Viceroy for amending the rules relating to the grant of gratuities to subordinate Railway employees and cancelling the provision of forfeiture of gratuities in event of strike. This meeting earnestly requests H. E. the Viceroy to extend the benefit of the same amendment to cases of men who have been discharged on ground of reduction of staff or otherwise and who have died so as to give the benefit of the revised rule to their widows and children.

TRAMWAY FARES.

PROTEST AGAINST PROPOSED INCREASE.

Mr. F. J. Ginwala, president of the Committee appointed at the public meeting held at Marwadi Vidyalaya to protest against the proposed increase of tramway fares has addressed the following letter to the President of the Municipal Corporation:—

"I have the honour to inform you that a public meeting of the citizens of Bombay was held at Marwadi Hall on the 10th day of June 1920 for the purpose of protesting against the proposed increase in Tramway fares and in the tariff for the supply of Electric energy when a committee was appointed by the said meeting for the purpose of placing the case of the public before the Municipal Corporation and negotiating with the Municipality on the subject.

"At the outset my Committee begs to point out that the Tramway Company is not entitled to ask for an increase on the old lines in face of the agreement entered into between the Company and the Municipality which is the basis for the monopoly granted to the Company. Apart from the said agreement my Committee after carefully considering the arguments advanced by the Tramway Company for the proposed increase in the Tramway fare and in the tariff for the supply of electric energy, has come to a conclusion that no case has been made out for the proposed increase inasmuch as the Tramway Company, has always declared so far a dividend higher than 6 per cent., a percentage which is considered fair and reasonable all throughout the world for all the public utility ventures and there is no reason why the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Company should be an exception. My committe is further of opinion that the present dividend so far declared by the Company has been handsome and that even if a reasonable depreciation is allowed there is no ground to apprehend that it will fall below 6 per cent. My committee have reasons to believe that owing to the increased traffic as shown by the increased number of passengers by a crore last year and with the management which would give complete satisfaction to the public in point of treatment and greater facilities to the passengers, the proposed increase would not be necessary and on the contrary there is every likelihood of the traffic and revenue increasing every year.

"My committee is further of opinion that by proper retrenchment and by proper regulation of the service by means of starting special tram-cars for shorter distances the traffic as well as the revenue would increase. My committee further begs to point out that at present there is great pressure on tramcars at certain hours and in the other hours there is slackness of traffic and in that connection Tramway Company may well consider the advisability to reduce the fares both as regards the distances and at certain hours of the day with benefit to themselves and to the public. My committee feels that the Tramway Company has not explored every source of the revenue by giving greater facilities and making necessary improvements and that the time is not arrived in the present state of traffic and finances of the Company when increase in fares or in tariff is called for. On the other hand my committee feels that as in the case of Railways increase in traffic is likely to have effect far from expected and revenues instead of increasing may decrease. However, my committee would be pleased to discuss the matter with the President of the Municipal Corporation or the Municipal Commissioner or with the Tramway Company at an interview which may be arranged for the purpose."

FORFEITURE OF PRESS SECURITY.

ORDER SET ASIDE BY LAHORE HIGH COURT.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, August 3.

The special Bench of Lahore High Court has pronounced judgment in an appeal filed by the Keeper of the Prakash Steam Printing Press against an order of the local Government forfeiting security of Rs. 2,000 under the repealed Press Act, which was argued by Mr. Bakhshi Tekchand, Advocate. Judgment which is delivered by Sir Shadilal, Chief Justice, Justices Scott-Smith and Martineau concurring, runs to about eleven typed pages and in the end accepts the appeal with costs against Government, setting aside the order of forfeiture. After deciding against the points as to whether the appellant can lead evidence as to good faith and as to whether that incriminating paragraph, which was not an editorial comment but a news paragraph, did matter for the purpose of the Press Act, judgment discussed the meaning of Government established by law in British India. It quoted with approval definition of Justice Stratchey in the first Tilak case and of Justice Batty in the Bhaskar case and did not quarrel with the definition in the Bhabasya case, but held that on any definition Government established by law could not mean a few policemen at a particular place whose misdeeds, if proved, Government would certainly repudiate, nor could it be held that any aspersion against a few policemen tended to bring Government into hatred. Judgment did not agree with the Government Advocate's argument that attack on a few policemen indirectly tended to create disaffection. It next discussed the Government Advocate's contention that policemen at Ferozepur Jharka constituted a class or section and held that class or section connoted a well defined group and not a fortuitous concourse of a few policemen assembled at a particular place on a particular occasion.

In the end, the appeal was accepted on the ground that the paragraph was not obnoxious to any of the provisions of the Press Act.

The Punjab High Court closed on the 3rd August, for a long vacation and would reopen on the 16th October, Justices Scott-Smith and Broadway being Vacation Judges.

DR. S. P. KAPADIA'S CASE.

POLICE ACTION JUSTIFIED.

The following letter dated 20th July 1922, addressed by Mr. G. Wiles, Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Home Department to Dr. Sorab P. Kapadia, L. M. and S., Bombay, in connection with his harassment by the Bombay Police, was laid on the table of the Legislative Council last week:—

Sir.—With reference to your memorial, dated the 26th February 1922, praying that compensation may be granted for the great loss sustained by you and that a searching enquiry may be made in respect of the conduct of Superintendent Carter of the Bombay City Police, I am directed by the Governor in Council to inform you that a careful enquiry has been made into your case and the circumstances considered both as they appeared in the Police investigation and as presented to the Magistrate. The conclusion reached in view of the facts established in respect of the receipt and the value of the stolen property has been that it would have been a dereliction in duty on the part of Superintendent Carter if he had neglected to take the necessary steps for placing you before the Magistrate. It was moreover not open to him on the facts established to release you on bail. The offence, if any, was non-bailable and the question of bail equally with that of your guilt was solely within the jurisdiction of the Magistrate. It has lastly been established beyond doubt that Superintendent Carter was seriously ill and was granted leave solely on the grounds of his health and not as suggested by you in order to evade further cross-examination before the Magistrate. There would appear therefore to be no justification either for the grant of compensation to you or for steps being taken against Superintendent Carter by Government.—I have the honour etc.

MUNICIPAL LEGISLATION.

Mr. Jehangir B. Petit: Will Government be pleased to state when they intend to undertake legislation dealing with municipal self-Government in the Mofussil?

The Hon. Khan Bahadur Shaikh Ghulam Husain Hidayatllah: A bill for major Municipalities has been drafted and approved by Government and is being referred to the Municipalities concerned for criticism. Legislation for minor Municipalities will be taken up after that for the major Municipalities has been enacted.

LOCAL BOARDS BILL.

Mr. Jehangir B. Petit: Will Government be pleased to say when it is intended to take up legislation for the reconstruction of the local boards of the Presidency?

The Hon. Khan Bahadur Shaikh Gulam Husain Hidayatallah: Government propose to introduce the new Local Boards Bill in the September sessions of the Legislative Council.

PATHANS TERRORISM IN BOMBAY.

In reply to questions put by Mr. Jehangir B. Petit asking whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the terrorism regularly exercised by Pathans in Bombay during the last two or three years and whether Government intend to take prompt measures against the criminal propensities and activities of such of them as have no settled profession and no known place of residence, The Hon. Mr. M. H. W. Hayward replied: The Commissioner of Police has reported an unusually large number of unemployed Pathans and Punjabis in the City and the conviction during the six months ending the 28th February 1922 of no less than 189 Pathans and 8 Punjabis of serious offences against the person and property before the Magistrates. Certain localities had been worked up into a state of semi-panic which was hardly justified by the facts and this has largely been removed by a system of patrols of mounted police. The real remedy however lies in the strengthening of the overworked investigation staff and proposals for this purpose are under preparation. Meanwhile orders have been issued for a freer use of the provisions of Section 27 of the City Police Act and of the Foreigners Act.

PUTTING ON BLACK TURBAN.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION TAKEN.

(Associated Press.)

SIMLA, Aug. 2.

A communique says:—The "Parikasi Khalsa" of the 6th April related a story to the effect that a Sikh Sardar of the 4th Cavalry, Poona, was asked to remove his *kirpan* and that the regiment then asked to be placed under arrest as a protest. On hearing this, according to this paper, the British officers apologised for having made the request. The "Punjab Darpan" had a similar story and its version was that the Commanding Officer of the 4th Cavalry, Kirkee, arrested a Sikh *dafadar* for putting on a black turban and a *kirpan* and that as a result 130 men of his squadron put on black turbans and *kirpans* and thereupon the Commanding Officer dismissed the case and released the *Dafadar*.

As a result of the enquiry it has been ascertained that one man in the regiment put on a black turban and that suitable disciplinary action was taken against him, without creating any trouble whatever in the regiment as a whole. Otherwise the stories related by the papers, referred to are wholly incorrect.

RICE THEFTS CONSPIRACY CASE.

ACCUSED COMMITTED TO SESSIONS.

(Associated Press.)

RANGOON, Aug. 3.

All the nine accused in the Rice Thefts Conspiracy case were committed to the Sessions, the Magistrate refusing all bail applications. The Magistrate referred to the mysterious book mentioned in the evidence as containing the names of persons bribed and asked the Press to make it clear that despite rumours no persons of higher rank than Deputy Superintendent of Police appeared therein.

THE REFORM BAUBLES.

THEIR COST.

What a costly toy the Mont-ford Reforms are proving to be can be seen from statement laid on the table of the House of Commons on June 30th giving the extra expenditure incurred in connection with them. This extra expenditure was stated to be as follows approximately in lakhs of rupees:—

Government of India	.....	9
Madras Province	.....	5 1/2
Bombay	.....	5 1/4
Bengal	.....	5 3/4
United Provinces	.....	7 3/4
Punjab	.....	5
Bihar	.....	2 1/2
Central Provinces	.....	2 1/4
Assam	.....	2 3/4
Grand total	.....	45.99

The increases in the pay, allowances and pension of the higher ranks of the Public Services, which have followed in the wake of the Reforms are not included in this additional burden.

The details of the expenditure are set forth below:—

Sir C. Yate asked the Under-Secretary of State for India whether he can make a statement showing the difference between the number of officials employed and the cost of administration of the Central and Provincial Governments in India before the introduction of the reforms effected by the Government of India Act, 1919, and at the commencement of the present year?

Earl Winterton: The statement supplied to me by the Government of India is as follows:—

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

President, Council of State, Rs. 50,000; President, Legislative Assembly, Rs. 50,000; Joint Secretary, Rs. 36,000; Additional Deputy Secretary, Rs. 24,000; two Superintendents at Rs. 600-40-800 each, Rs. 18,000; seven Council Reporters at Rs. 450-25-750 each, Rs. 53,750; one Secretariat Assistant in the upper time scale at Rs. 375-25-500, Rs. 5,625; ten Assistants at Rs. 200-15-500, Rs. 42,000; seventeen clerks at Rs. 100-8-300, Rs. 38,675; three stenographers at Rs. 175-9-400, Rs. 9,675; six daftris at Rs. 15-1-35, Rs. 1,080; two jamadars at Rs. 20-1-24, Rs. 480; sixteen peons at Rs. 10 each, Rs. 1,920; eighteen temporary peons at Rs. 10 each, Rs. 2,160; Hill journey allowances, Rs. 22,000; Travelling and daily allowances of the Members of Council of State and of Legislative Assembly, Rs. 5,05,500; Appointment of a ceremonial officer for the Indian Legislature, Rs. 3,000; (1) Provisions for purchase of books for the Library for the Members of the Indian Legislature, Rs. 15,000 (Staff for the Library one Assistant Librarian) on the upper division time-scale, one clerk on the lower division time-scale and two daftris, Rs. 6,500 Salary of the Deputy President of the Legislative Assembly at Rs. 1,000 per mensem for periods during which he is engaged on work connected with business of the Legislative Assembly, Rs. 7,000. Total—Government of India, Rs. 8,92,675.

MADRAS.

One Member, Executive Council, at Rs. 5,333-5-4 per mensem, Rs. 64,000; three Ministers at Rs. 5,323-3-4 per mensem, Rs. 1,92,000; one President, Legislative Council, at Rs. 3,000 per mensem, Rs. 30,000; one Deputy President at Rs. 5,000 a year, Rs. 5,000; three Council Secretaries at Rs. 500 each, Rs. 18,000; one Secretary to Council, Rs. 18,000; one Secretary, Finance Department, at Rs. 3,000 per mensem, Rs. 36,000; one Assistant Secretary, Finance Department, at Rs. 700 per mensem, Rs. 8,400; Travelling allowance of Members of Council Ministers and Members of Legislative Council, Rs. 1,31,000; Establishment under Ministers, Rs. 7,938; Hill journey allowance of establishment, Rs. 2,600; Contingencies of establishment, Rs. 9,440; Legislative Council office establishment at Rs. 1,555-8 per mensem, Rs. 18,666; Legislative Council shorthand reporting charges, Rs. 24,000. Total for Madras, Rs. 5,71,044.

BOMBAY.

One Member, Executive Council, Rs. 64,000; three Ministers, Rs. 1,92,000; one President, Legislative Council, Rs. 36,000; one Deputy President, Legislative Council, Rs. 1,500; one Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Rs. 31,209; one Secretary to Government, Political Department, Rs. 30,000; one Deputy Secretary, Finance Department, Rs. 21,000; one Deputy Secretary, General Department, Rs. 20,000; one Deputy Secretary, Legal Department, Rs. 29,409; (1) six Reporters, Rs. 14,114; two clerks (including a steward), Rs. 2,244; four personal clerks to the Honourable Member and Ministers, Rs. 10,416; Hill allowance to clerks (including a steward), Rs. 608; ten peons (including two hamals and one sweeper), Rs. 3,362; Travelling allowances:—One additional Member, Rs. 3,802; three Ministers, Rs. 9,334; additional Members of Legislative Council, Rs. 55,383. Total for Bombay, Rs. 5,24,363.

BENGAL.

One Member, Executive Council, Rs. 64,000; three Ministers, Rs. 1,92,000; one President, Legislative Council, Rs. 36,000; one Deputy President, Legislative Council, Rs. 5,000; one Secretary, Agriculture and Industries Department, Rs. 33,000; one Deputy Secretary, Chief Secretary's Office, Rs. 23,400; (3) two Assistant Secretaries, Rs. 10,320 one Deputy Secretary, Legislative Department, Rs. 18,000; Travelling and halting allowances of one Executive Councillor, three Ministers and Members of the Legislative Council, Rs. 1,15,500; Printing, contingencies, etc., in connection with the reformed Legislative Council, Rs. 50,000; (4) extra Ministerial establishment in the several Departments of the Secretariat, Rs. 37,240. Total for Bengal, Rs. 5,84,460.

UNITED PROVINCES.

One Governor (5), Rs. 20,000; one Additional Aide-de-Camp, Rs. 9,300; two Ministers, Executive Council, Rs. 1,28,000; one President, Legislative Council at Rs. 4,000, Rs. 48,000; two Council Secretaries, Rs. 36,000; one Deputy President, Legislative Council, Rs. 5,000; Travelling and halting allowance of Executive Councillors and Ministers, Rs. 20,000; one Secretary at Rs. 2,300 per mensem, Rs. 27,600; one Deputy Secretary at Rs. 2,000 per mensem, Rs. 24,000; one Deputy Secretary at Rs. 1,600 per mensem, Rs. 19,200; one Deputy Secretary in place of an Under-Secretary, Rs. 10,500; eight Assistant Secretaries in place of one Under-Secretary and four Registrars, Rs. 37,200.

One Assistant Secretary to Council (temporary for 6 months at Rs. 480 p.m.) Rs. 2,881; Reporting allowance, Rs. 9,000; Three Superintendents at Rs. 450-40-650, Rs. 21,600; Fifteen Clerks on Rs. 150-10-260-20-360, Rs. 50,088 one clerk on 240 Rs. 2,880; Six Clerks on Rs. 170-10-220, Rs. 14,940; One Clerk on Rs. 190, Rs. 2, Rs. 280; Eleven Clerks on Rs. 70-5-150, Rs. 15,224; One Librarian on Rs. 350-20-450 Rs. 5,100; One Assistant Treasurer on Rs. 200-10-300, Rs. 3,200; Fourteen Stenotypists on Rs. 150 to Rs. 400, Rs. 37,200; One Daftri on Rs. 173, Rs. 240; Two Daftris on Rs. 16, Rs. 384; Seven Jemadars on Rs. 19, Rs. 1,596; Six junior Jemadars on Rs. 16, Rs. 1,152; Twenty Peons on Rs. 14, Rs. 3,360; Eleven Peons on Rs. 13, Rs. 1,716; Eighteen Peons on Rs. 12, Rs. 2,592; Four Doorkeepers on Rs. 16, Rs. 768; Two Chaukidars on Rs. 12; Rs. 288; Travelling and halting allowances of members of the Legislative Council, Rs. 1,00,000; Total for United Provinces, Rs. 789,252.

PUNJAB.

The Members Executive Council, Rs. 120,000; Two Ministers Rs. 1,20,000; One Deputy President, Legislative Council at Rs. 5,000 a year, Rs. 5,000; one President Legislative Council at Rs. 3,000 p.m. Rs. 36,000; One Secretary, Transferred Department at Rs. 2,550 p.m. Rs. 30,600; One Secretary Legislative Council, Rs. 9,600; Office Establishment Legislative Council, Rs. 10,600; Four Council Secretaries at Rs. 2,000; a year each Rs. 8,000; Travelling allowances of Members of Legislative Council and of Ministers and Members of the Executive Council of the Government of Punjab, Rs. 50,000; Three Council Reporters at Rs. 300-15-450 p. m. each, Rs. 14,400; Two Personal Assistants at Rs. 175-12½-350 p.m., each to Ministers and Members, Rs. 7,440; Five Jemadars at Rs. 19 each, Rs. 1,140; Fourteen Peons at Rs. 16-8 each Rs. 2,772; Printing Charges, Rs. 29,000; Additional Secretariat Staff, Rs. 20,000; Total Punjab Government Rs. 4,72,052.

BIHAR AND ORISSA.

Two Ministers, Rs. 1,20,000; (6) One President, Legislative Council; One Deputy President, Rs. 3,000; One Secretary to Council, Rs. 25,200; Travelling allowances of Members of Council and Ministers and Members of the Legislative Council, Rs. 60,000; One Secretary, Rs. 25,200; One Under Secretary, Rs. 9,600; One Superintendent at Rs. 400-20-500, Rs. 4,800; One Head Assistant at Rs. 250-15-401, Rs. 3,000; One Assistant at Rs. 110-5-150, Rs. 1,320; One Accountant at Rs. 75-5-100, Rs. 900; Two Accountants at Rs. 55-4-75, Rs. 1,320; (7) Two Accountants at Rs. 50-4-70, 1,200; Two Typists at Rs. 70-3-100, Rs. 1,680; One Typist at Rs. 40-3-70, Rs. 480; One Stenographer at Rs. 120-8-200, Rs. 1,440; One Temporary Assistant at Rs. 150-10-250, Rs. 1,800; One Daftri at Rs. 20-1-25, Rs. 240; Four Peons at Rs. 15 each, Rs. 720; Four Peons at Rs. 14 each, Rs. 672; Two Peons at Rs. 13 each, Rs. 312; Two Darwans at Rs. 11-1-15, Rs. 264; One Jemadar Sweeper at Rs. 12, Rs. 144; Five Sweepers at Rs. 10 each, Rs. 600; Four Frashes at Rs. 9 each, Rs. 432; Four Watermen at Rs. 9 each, Rs. 432; Total Bihar and Orissa, Rs. 2,64,756.

CENTRAL PROVINCES.

(8) One Governor, Rs. 10,000; (9) Two Members of the Executive Council, Rs. 54,000; Two Ministers, Rs. 72,000; One President, Legislative Council, Rs. 26,000; One Deputy President Legislative Council, Rs. 3,000; (10) Four Council Secretaries; (11) Travelling allowances of the Home Members, and Ministers, Rs. 4,594; Travelling allowance of Members of the Legislative Council and of the Standing Committees and of the clerical and menial staff of the Home Member and the Ministers, Rs. 16,489; Halting allowance of Members of the Legislative Council and of the Standing Committees and of clerical and menial staff of the Home Member and Ministers, Rs. 11,513; (12) Extra clerical establishment of the Legislative Council Rs. 8,268; Stenographers to Home Member and Ministers at Rs. 216, 23 each Rs. 7,800; (13) Menial establishment of President Deputy-President Home Member and Ministers.

Total for Central Provinces Rs. 2,27,904.

ASSAM.

(14) One Governor Rs. 6,000; Two Members Executive Council, Rs. 84,000; two Ministers Rs. 84,000; one President Legislative Council, Rs. 12,900; one Deputy-President Legislative Council, Rs. 2,500; (15) One Aide-de-Camp to H. E. the Governor, Rs. 12,000; four stenographers for the Hon. Member and Ministers (Rs. 250/10/350.) Rs. 12,000; four Jamadars for the Hon. Member and Ministers (20/½/25) Rs. 960; twelve Chaprasis for the Hon. Member and Ministers (Rs. 14/1/5/17) Rs. 2,016; one Daftri for the Hon. Member and Ministers (Rs. 20/½/30) Rs. 240; one Jemadar for the President of the Council (Rs. 20/½/25) Rs. 240; two Chaprasis for the President of the Council (Rs. 14/1/5/17) Rs. 336; one Council Clerk (Rs. 120—6—190) Rs. 1,440; one Chobdar for His Excellency (Rs. 18/½/25) Rs. 216; one Chaprasi for Aide-de-Camp (Rs. 14/1/5/17) Rs. 168; one Superintendent for Private Secretary's Office (Rs. 250/10/450) Rs. 1,320; (16) two Head Assistant for the Assam Secretariat (Rs. 300/14/370) Rs. 7,200; three Assistants for the Assam Secretariat (Rs. 150/10/250); Rs. 6,240; two Assistants for the Assam Secretariat (Rs. 60/3/90/4/120) Rs. 1,440; two record suppliers for the Assam Secretariat (Rs. 30/1/50) Rs. 720; one Typist for the Assam Secretariat (Rs. 50/5/3—85) Rs. 600; four Chaprasis for the Assam Secretariat (Rs. 14—1/5—17) Rs. 672; one Clerk for the Legislative Department (Rs 50/4/90/4/130—4—150) Rs. 600; one Clerk for the Legislative Department (Rs. 60/3/90/4/130) Rs. 720; Travelling allowance and halting allowance, etc. of Members of the Legislative Council Rs. 22,000; travelling allowance and halting allowance, etc., of Members and Ministers of Government and their staff Rs. 10,000.

Total for Assam Rs. 2,72,628.

GRAND TOTAL FOR INDIA.

Grand total for the whole of India, Rs. 45,99,134.

(1) This expenditure is fluctuating. This year 15,000, next year 10,000 and every subsequent year 6,000.

(2) Inclusive of a duty allowance of Rs. 50 per annum to one Reporter.

(3) Of the five posts of Assistant Secretaries sanctioned on the introduction of the reforms one was previously in existence and two have merely replaced Under-Secretaryships which have been abolished.

(4) Does not include petty items like additional chaprasies, additions to ordinary contingencies, etc.

(5) Difference between pay of present Governor and former Lieut. Governor.

(6) Post at present held by a Member of the Executive Council.

(7) One of these is at present vacant.

(8) Difference between the present pay of the Governor and the former pay of the Chief Commissioner.

(9) Pay at the rate of Rs. 48,000 per annum for each—Rs. 96,000 'less' the annual saving effected by the abolition of the post of Financial Commissioner Rs. 42,000,54,000.

(10) These Council Secretaries are selected members of the Legislative Council, who have not accepted any remuneration for their work as their proposed pay at Rs. 250 p.m., each was not voted by the present Council.

(11) This is an estimate for one year based on the actual expenditure incurred during the first nine months of 1921.

(12) 1 Superintendent, 3 clerks and 2 menials. Estimate based on average pay.

(13) 17 Jamadars and peons on rates of pay from average Rs. 13.5.4 to Rs. 19. 8.

(14) Difference between pay of Governor and that of former Chief Commissioners.

(15) Since the introduction of Reforms one Private Secretary has been appointed for H. E. the Governor on a salary of Rs. 1,250 a month, in place of one Personal Assistant employed by the Chief Commissioner on a salary of Rs. 1,000 a month.

(16) The difference as compared with the pay of a Head Assistant employed at the time of the Chief Commissioner.

CALCUTTA MOTOR DACOITY CASE.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Aug. 3.

On resumption of the preliminary inquiry to-day into the case against Kali Charan Tewari and three others, prosecuted on a charge of having committed a dacoity in the firm of Messrs. Nandalal Pal and Bros. of Darmatolla Street, Anilkumar Pal, who was wanted by the police in connection with the dacoity, was placed before the Fourth Presidency Magistrate as the fifth accused. Harendra Chakraverty, the driver of the taxi which it is alleged, the accused engaged on the night of the occurrence, identified Anil as one of the occupants in his car. He said after the dacoity all accused got into his car and as it was moving off, two constables followed it. Anil tried to fire a revolver at them but it was misfired. Anil, further, told the witness to drive fast, threatening to shoot him unless he followed his instructions. Further enquiry was adjourned.

Tilak Day was celebrated with much enthusiasm at Saugor, Khandwa, Mussoorie, Bhiwani, and Palghar.

A communique on last week's situation in Waziristan says on the 26th July it was reported from Kotkai that a sepoy of the 1/6th Jat Light Infantry had been wounded by an explosion, but no details as to the nature of the explosion were given.

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Dr. L. MADEREY,
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MEDICAL OPINIONS.

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Believe me to be, etc.

Dr. L. BERTRAND,
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I am, etc.

Dr. POUSSIE.

BOMBAY MARKET.

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

Aug. 4.

Bars gold ready, Rs. 26-14.
Bars gold forward, 26-14.
Bars gold 2nd settlement, 26-15.
Bars silver ready, 92-3.
Bars silver 1st settlement, 92-3.
Bars silver 2nd settlement, 92-5.

EXCHANGE.

B C Rate—Bank's selling T T, 1/3 9/16.
Bank's selling D D, 1/3 19/32.
On London—Bank's selling T T, 1/3 5/8.
Bank's selling D D, 1/3 21/32.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D A, 1/3 13/16.
Bank's buying T T, 1/3 11/16.
Bank's buying D D, 1/3 23/32.
Tone of Exchange—Quiet—Steady market.
On Paris—Bank's selling D D, Frcs 351.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D A, Frcs 371.
Bank's buying D D, Frcs 361.
On Japan—Bank's selling T T, Rs. 164¼.
Bank's buying 60 D/st D P, Rs. 159¼.
On Hongkong—Bank's selling D D, Rs. 202.
On Shanghai—Bank's selling D D, Rs. 269.
On Singapore—Bank's selling D D, Rs. 179¼.
On New York—Bank's selling D D, Rs. 346.
London gold ready, sh. 92-9.
London silver ready, d. 35-4.
London silver forward, d. 35-2.
Tone of Silver—Quiet—Steady, small business, India bought.

CROSS RATES ON LONDON TO THE POUND STERLING.

American Exchange, Dollars 4.45/8.
French Exchange, Frcs 54.70.
Swiss Exchange, Frcs 23.40.
Belgium Exchange, Frcs 57.90.
German Exchange, Mrks 3650.
Italian Exchange, Liras 98.10.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

3½ per cent Paper, Rs. 57/9.
5 per cent War Loan, 84.
4 per cent Terminable Loan, 98.
4 per cent Conversion Loan, 78.
5½ per cent War Bonds due 1922, 100/1.
5½ per cent War Bonds due 1928, 101.
5 per cent Government of India Bonds due 1926, 100.
6 per cent Government of India Bonds due 1930, 100.
6½ per cent Bombay Development Loan due 1935, 103/8.
4 per cent Bombay Port Trust due 1974, 65.
6 per cent Bombay Port Trust due 1930, 95.
4 per cent Bombay Municipal due 1974, 65.
6 per cent Bombay Municipal due 1929 to 49, 95.
4 per cent Bombay Improvement Trust due 1974, 65.

SHARES.

The market closed quiet with small business.

The following are the closing rates of the Bombay Stock Exchange of the 3rd instant:—

BANKS.

Imperial 1355, India 117 xd, Central 36/12, Tata Bank 15/8 and Eastern 83.

COTTON MILLS.

Ahmedabad Advance 2850, Alliance 320 n, Apollo 83-12, Birla Mills 93-12, Bombay Cotton 110 xd, Bombay Dyeing 122-8, Bradbury 1030, Century 782-8, Central India 5030, Colaba Land 2290, Crescent 525, Currim 2000, David 1785, Edward Sassoon 535, Elphinstone 151-4, Fazulbhoy 1345, Gokak 242-8, Indian Bleaching 265, Indore-Malwa 712-8, Kastoorchand 890 xd, Rohinoor 2770, Madhowji 457-8, Meyer Sassoon 322-8, Morarji 7125, New Great 895, New City 712-8, Pabani 835, Pearls 1045, Phoenix 925, Shapurji 341-4, Standard 2575, Swan 1200, Swadeshi 1200, Tata Mill 1140 xd and Vishnu Cotton 2500.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock 5 D, Bombay-Burma N I 150 pr, Bt. Burma Pet. 7-12, Bombay Tramway 126-4, Bombay Steam 215, Bundi Cement 40, Indian Cement 282-8, Katni ord 240 xd, Katni def 1215 xd, New India 20, Shivrajpur 30-8, Tata Iron ord 57-8, Tata Iron def 195, Tata Iron N ord 51-4, Tata Iron N def 160, Tata Hydro 850, Tata Oil 50 and Scindia Steam 7-8.

FINANCE.

Conditions in the market continue unchanged and money remains in abundant supply. Subscriptions to the new Government of India loan have now reached the welcome figure of about 30 crores. We have no doubt that before the close of the loan, about the middle of August, the public will have invested further big amounts, as this loan offers the soundest investment in the market at the present juncture. During the week the short deposit rate was from about 3½ to 3¾ per cent., while the call money rate remained at about 2½ per cent. The Imperial Bank cash balance is up by Rs. 332 lakhs and the bank rate remains unchanged at 4 per cent. The present ease in monetary conditions is likely to continue through the present month.

EXCHANGE.

Exchange on London T. T. opened at 1/3 19/32, but soon advanced on bills showing both in Bombay and in Calcutta, the highest rate touched being 1/3 11/16. Subsequently there was a certain reaction due in some measure to the intervention of the holidays over this weak end. The undertone of the market remains healthy. There was a very small decline in the American cross rate on London which moved from Dollars 4.45 to Dollars 4.44 9/16, but is steady at this rate. The Continental exchanges on London have reflected the depressing influence of a fresh downward plunge in the external value of the German mark of which the quotation has now depreciated to the almost meaningless figure of 3720. This represents the mark at slightly more than fifteen a penny as compared with twenty for the pound sterling before the year.

GOLD.

The rates moved within narrow limits, the highest and lowest rates of the week for Ready lots being Rs. 26-14-6 and Rs. 26-13 respectively. The off-take still averages about 18,000 tolas a day and our stock is estimated at about 8½ lakhs tolas. The ensuing gold settlement is fixed to commence on Tuesday next and it is generally believed that, with the gold arriving by the incoming mail, the local stock will be increased to over ten lakhs tolas.

SILVER.

Silver was steady during the early part of the week round Rs. 92-10, but following the decline in the London market, the rates gave way and our market closes at Rs. 92-3 for ready delivery. The Shanghai-London exchange fluctuated within narrow limits and it is reported that the volume of business in China was small. The Continent has been a regular seller in the London market during the week. It is reported that the stock in Shanghai is increasing as the result of various shipments from San Francisco. The off-take averaged about 80 bars a day and the stock is estimated at about 3,500 bars.

SHARES.

The market opened steady for September delivery and during the early part of the week a large amount of budli business was transacted in preference to fresh operations for the September settlement. Later in the week the attention of the general market was principally focussed round Currimbhoys, Davids and Kohinoors. The latter stock suffered a decline of about Rs. 150 on adverse rumours regarding the ensuing dividend and the profits. The chief feature of the week was the general tendency to decline shown by cotton mill shares, owing to lack of outside support. Investors do not come out to buy textile shares freely at the present inflated prices as the general belief is gaining ground that the strong position of cotton together with other factors renders unlikely the maintenance of dividends in the future at the high levels of the immediate past. This should not be the case, however, with mills that carry large stocks of cheap cotton bought early in the year. The general outlook for the local textile industry is, moreover, excellent.

Dull and uninteresting conditions prevail in the miscellaneous section. Trams kept fairly steady around Rs. 126; Tata steel deferreds declined to Rs. 190 on the report that no dividend will be paid for these shares. Imperial Banks were steady round Rs. 1,355 and the Contributories are in demand both here and in Calcutta at about Rs. 350. Railway shares continue steady but dull.

LOCAL FORWARD MARKET.

Fully good mg. Broach April-May opened on the 28th ultimo at Rs. 477 and declined to Rs. 468 on the same day on selling by Japanese and Offices. From this level it advanced to Rs. 481 on the 31st ultimo on free buying by Bull Operators. Again the prices eased to Rs. 465 on 1st instant, on selling by a prominent Indore Operator, and improved to Rs. 482 on the 2nd instant in accordance with the higher advices reported from Home-closing at Rs. 480¼ on the 3rd instant. While Broach July-August opened at Rs. 532 on the 28th ultimo and declined to Rs. 524 on the same day. Again improved to Rs. 539 on the 31st ultimo and after fluctuating closed on the 3rd instant at Rs. 532. Fine mg. Oomra September opened at Rs. 442 on the 28th instant and went down to Rs. 456 on the very day on account of heavy selling by nervous Bulls. From this level it improved to Rs. 462 on the 31st ultimo on free buying by leading Bulls. The prices again dropped to Rs. 441 owing to free profit-taking selling-by Marwari Jobbers and Offices. After sharp fluctuations the market closed at Rs. 450 on the 3rd instant. While Oomra December January opened on the 28th instant at Rs. 427 and fluctuating within a range of ten rupees went up till Rs. 430, on the 31st ultimo. Again declined to Rs. 417 on the 1st instant in sympathy with selling in Oomra September and after sharp fluctuations closed at Rs. 429 on the 3rd instant. F.G. mg. Bengal December-January opened at Rs. 350 on the 28th ultimo and declined to Rs. 342 closing on the 3rd instant at Rs. 355 steady.

BOMBAY CENTRAL CO-OPERATIVE INSTITUTE.

AHMEDABAD BRANCH.

The meeting to organise a branch at Ahmedabad of the Bombay Central Co-Operative Institute, was held at Kishore Bhuvan, Sankadi Sheri, on Sunday last at 5-45 p.m., and it was, thereat, resolved that an Ahmedabad Branch of the B. C. Co-operative Institute be established here; and further resolved that a managing committee with power to add to its numbers be formed and that Prof. Natvarlal Damoderdas Parikh be appointed Hon. Secretary of the said branch of the Institute. It was also decided to educate and focus public opinion about the housing problem on a co-operative basis.

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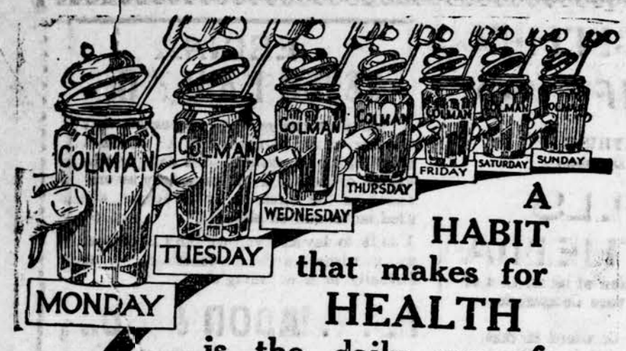

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SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE

A YEAR'S RECORD OF WORK.

The annual general meeting of the Social Service League, Bombay, will be held to-day at 6 p.m. (S.T.) in the Servants of India Society's Hall, Sandhurst Road, Girgaum under the presidentship of the Hon. Sir N. G. Chandavarkar, Kt. L.L.D., to adopt the Annual Report and audited statement of accounts for the year 1921.

The following is the summary of the work done during the year 1921.

EDUCATION.

For the promotion of mass education the League has had under its supervision 30 schools with a total of 1339 working class pupils on the rolls, of whom 1216 were boys and 123 girls and women. Out of the 30 schools 18 are night schools with a total of 754 on the rolls, 6 day schools for half-timers with 365 on the rolls, and three classes for women in the Currimbhoy group of Mills with 68 pupils on the rolls. There were also 3 special English classes for clerks in the Currimbhoy Mills. Music, sewing and drawing formed part of the instruction in the day schools.

LIBRARIES.

There were 9 libraries and reading rooms as well as 50 boxes of Travelling Libraries. The total number of books was 13174 and the total issues of books during the year came to 29638, while the total attendance in the reading rooms was 68435. Books were supplied to prisoners in the House of Correction, Byculla, and to the patients in Gokuldas Tejpal Hospital. One of the libraries is specially meant for the depressed classes.

LANTERN LECTURES.

19 lectures were delivered with the aid of magic lantern slides mostly on Co-operation and Temperance.

EXCURSIONS AND SPORTS.

The League arranged facilities for healthy recreation of workmen by organising fresh-air excursions. 19 times during the year, and by means of open-air sports at 37 different places, and the number of persons who participated in the former being 1812 and in the latter 1675.

BOY SCOUTS.

The first troop of boy scouts was organised by the League in 1918. During the year under report two more troops were being trained, one at the Tata Sons Workmen's Institute and the other at the Currimbhoy Ebrahim Workmen's Institute. Each of the three troops has now about 40 scouts.

MEDICAL RELIEF.

The League maintains two charitable dispensaries. The Bai Bachubai Dispensary for women and children is located at the Bombay Working Men's Institute, Elphinstone Road, Parel; and the Homeopathic Dispensary is situated in Nabob Buildings, opposite to Byculla Station, Parel Road. The total number of patients treated at the former dispensary during the year came to 9852 and at the latter 2426. Sheth Kanji Cursondas has contributed Rs. 55,000 as a permanent fund towards the maintenance of the Bachubai Dispensary.

POLICE COURT AGENT.

In co-operation with the Released Prisoners' Aid Society, the League has been maintaining the services of an agent in the Esplanade Police Court to give assistance to the first offenders by recommending them to the Magistrates for being given the benefit of Section 562 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

SPREAD OF THE CO-OPERATIVE MOVEMENT.

With a view to securing the economic amelioration of the poorer and working classes, the League has had under its supervision 84 co-operative societies during the year. Of these 78 were Credit Societies, 4 were Stores, a medical Store on co-operative lines and a laundry on a co-operative basis. The total membership at these 84 societies at the end of the year was 5675; their capital Rs. 1,30,000 and they carried on business of over Rs. 3,20,000.

WELFARE WORK.

The Tata Sons Workmen's Institute and the Currimbhoy Ebrahim Workmen's Institute have been steadily carrying on welfare work for the operatives of the respective groups of Mills. At both these centres there are day schools for half-timers and night schools for grown up boys. There are also special classes for women workers and clerks. Co-operative Credit Societies and Stores form part of the work of the economic improvement of the workmen. There are Gymnasiums attached to both centres as also two Creches or Day Nursaries for children of women workers.

THE PAREL AND MADANPURA SETTLEMENTS.

The League's Settlements at Parel and Madanpura were started with the object of assisting the poor people in those localities in their difficulties. Both the Settlements maintain reading rooms and librarfes and help the people in representing their grievances to municipal and other authorities. The Madanpura Settlement has four Urdu night schools attached to it, while the Parel Settlement supervises over 22 co-operative societies.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE VILLAGE SANITATION FUND.

During the year co-operative societies of 6 villages in the mofussil were helped with grants from the Florence Nightingale Village Sanitation Fund, the administration of which has been vested in the League from 1920. been helped by the Fund.
Upto December 1921, in all 11 villages have

THE BOMBAY WORKING MEN'S INSTITUTE.

This Institute is intended to serve not the workmen of any particular group of mills but for all working class people in the Parel locality. The scheme was formed three years ago, a plot of ground was secured and an appeal was made for funds for the buildings. Two of the buildings, including a spacious hall capable of accommodating about 1500 persons, were completed at the end of the year at a cost of about Rs. 1,80,000. Two more buildings, one for the school and the other for a gymnasium and social club, will complete the necessary accommodation.

PROPAGANDA WORK.

To disseminate correct ideas regarding social conditions and social work the League is conducting an English Quarterly Magazine called the Social Service Quarterly and a Marathi monthly called the Samaj Sevak. A register of institution doing social work in India is being printed.

REPRESENTATIONS TO GOVERNMENT.

Duding the year the League on being requested by the Government of Bombay sent its views to them on:—(1) Amendment of the Indian Factories Act. (2) Employment of Women before and after child-birth, (3) Registration and Protection of Trade Unions and (4) Workmen's Compensation Bill.

FINANCES.

The total number of members at the end of the period under report was 723, of whom 9 were patrons, 35 supportors, 47 Life-members 26 members paying Rs. 50 each, 1 paying Rs. 30, 36 paying Rs. 25, 1 paying Rs. 15, 25 paying Rs. 12, 34 paying Rs. 10, 43 paying Rs. 6, 297 paying Rs. 3, 47 paying Rs. 2, and 87 paying Re. 1. The total receipts and expenditure for the period for all the branches amounted to Rs. 3,00,978-12-10 and Rs. 2,83,455-6-9 respectively. Of these Rs. 39,870-14-7 were the receipts towards the General Fund of the League and the total expenditure came to Rs. 32,668-6-11. The total contributions received during the year towards the building fund of the Bombay Working Men's Institute came to Rs. 1,30,000 out of which Rs. 1,23,000 have been spent. The Tata Sons Workmen's Institute, the Currimbhoy Ebrahim Workmen's Institute, the Bai Bachubai; Dispensary and Florence Nightingale Village Sanitation Fund have their respective funds. The most pressing and urgent need of the League is a sum of Rs. 75,000 in order to be able to have a building for a gymnasium and a club as a part of the Bombay Working Men's Institute. The League hopes that the generous public of Bombay would enable it to begin the work of the building without delay.

DEPRESSED CLASSES.

MEASURES FOR PROMOTION OF EDUCATION.

The following Press note has been issued by the Ministry of Education, Bombay:—

In January 1921 Government took up the question of the special measures that should be adopted to encourage the spread of education among the depressed classes, and in spite of the need for strict economy they have been able already to introduce the following measures.

The great need of the depressed classes at present is scholarships of sufficient value in Secondary Schools. It is true that of the Government scholarships tenable in Middle, High and Special Schools a certain number were already reserved for the backward classes, which include the depressed classes, and in each district there has been hitherto one Middle School Scholarship of Rs. 5 per mensem tenable for three years sanctioned by Government as a temporary measure exclusively for the depressed classes. In the opinion of Government, however, these concessions could not be regarded as sufficient in view of the poverty and the backward state of education of these classes. Government have therefore raised the value of the existing Middle School Scholarships from Rs. 5 per mensem to Rs. 10 per mensem, with effect from June, 1921. They have also sanctioned with effect from the beginning of the current financial year special High School scholarships of the value of Rs. 12 per mensem in Standards IV and V and of Rs. 15 per mensem in Standards VI and VII at the rate of one per district in Presidency proper tenable for four years. Thus there are now available for these classes only the following special scholarships:—

		Annual cost. Rs.
(a)	60 Middle School Scholarships of the value of Rs. 10 per mensem	7,200
(b)	40 High School Scholarships of Rs. 12 per mensem ...	5,760
(c)	40 High School Scholarships of Rs. 15 per mensem ...	7,200
	Total ...	20,160

These scholarships will be open to any depressed class boy or girl without distinction, and will be coupled with free studentships if the pupils attend Government Secondary Schools, subject to the suitability and satisfactory conduct and progress of the scholars. The scholarships will not be awarded on the results of competitive examinations but will be granted to applicants who are considered to be suitable and promise to complete their course of study.

Government have also sanctioned an allotment of Rs. 10,000 for the grant of special scholarships of Rs. 5 per mensem each to pupils of the depressed classes in Standards V to VII of primary schools.

Detailed Rules for the award of these scholarships are under consideration and will be issued in due course. In the meanwhile the Director of Public Instruction has been authorised to award the scholarships in anticipation.

3. In addition to the scheme of scholarships set forth above Government have, with a view to encouraging secondary education among the depressed classes, recently sanctioned the opening of a free hostel for 50 depressed class boys in Poona. The cost is estimated at Rs. 2,245 non-recurring and Rs. 13,120 recurring. As the boys admitted to the hostel will be maintained at public expense they will be excluded from the benefits of the special scholarship scheme.

4. Government have also sanctioned an allotment of Rs. 10,000 for the supply of books, slates, etc., to pupils of these classes studying in Local Board Primary Schools. A statement showing its distribution among the several Local Boards concerned has been received from the Director of Public Instruction and is under consideration.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION.

TWO INDIAN DOCTORS HONOURED.

At a regular meeting of the St. John Ambulance Association, Indian Council, held at Simla on the 31st May, 1922, Dr. A. D. Edal Behram, B.A., M.B., B.S., L.C.P. & S., was awarded Vote of Thanks Certificate of the Indian Council in recognition of his valuable services in the cause of Ambulance Work in India. At the same meeting Dr. M. F. Bisni, M.B., B.S., was duly approved to be Honorary Life Member of the Indian Council in recognition of his valuable services in the cause of Ambulance Work in India. Both these certificates are on parchment signed by his Excellency Lord Reading as President and by Mr. W. H. Cornick as General Secretary of the Council. Dr. P. B. Malkani, B.B., B.S., was also awarded Honorary Examiner's Certificate in recognition of his services as Examiner to the Association, which is signed by the Hon. Major-General W. R. Edwards, K.C.I.E., C.B., C.M.G., K.H.P., as Chairman of the Executive Committee and by Mr. W. H. Cornick as General Secretary.

INDUSTRIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

In the vacancy on the Advisory Committee of the Department of Industries caused by the resignation of Mr. H. P. W. Macnaghten, M.L.C., the Government of Bombay have appointed Mr. N. Birrell for a period of three years. The vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. A. T. Arnal will be filled up later.

The Advisory Committee now consists of the following members:—

Director of Industries, ex-officio Chairman; Sir Alfred Chatterton, Mr. Ambalal Sarabhai, Mr. G. B. Trivedi, M.L.C., Mr. Mangaldas Girdhardas, M.L.C., Rao Bahadur Raoji Ramchandra Kale, M.L.C., Mr. Mahomedbhoy Currimbhoy, Mr. Jehangir Bomanji Petit, M.L.C., and Mr. Purshottamdas Thakoredas, Government nominees; Mr. N. Birrell, nominee of the Chamber of Commerce, Bombay; Sir Montagu de P. Webb, M.L.A., nominee of the Chamber of Commerce, Karachi; and Mr. Lalji Naranji, nominee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bureau.

The Sessions Judge of Lucknow sentenced Amir Khan, a sepoy of the 82nd Punjabis to five years' rigorous imprisonment on a charge of culpable homicide and to death on a charge of murder.

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FRESH TIDE OF REPRESSION.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
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The U. P. Government have duly advertised the solicitude for the political prisoners by publishing a list of the comforts allowed them. A perusal of that list, consisting as it does, of soaps, towels, combs, dumb-bells etc., is likely to produce an impression that a political prisoner of the U.P. enjoys the ideal conditions for which a scholar yearns. But the truth is quite different. From the accounts related by gentlemen who recently returned from jails it is clear that the treatment accorded 'politicals' by a set of prison-officials who have developed bullying into a fine art can give points to the blunt, unsophisticated rigours falling to the share of the ordinary criminals. Further there is no systematic classification of prisoners into 'politicals' and non-politicals.

THE "INDEPENDENT" AND "SWARAJYA."

The "Independent" has reverted to its old familiar form after six months' life in a modest Ms. garb. The Government have given it good advertisement by marching as many as six members of the Editorial staff to the jail. "Swarajya" (Hindi) which is the organ of the U. P. Provincial Congress Committee has passed through vicissitudes very similar to those experienced by the "Independent." In December last the "Swarajya" Press in which that paper is printed had its security forfeited for having printed some pamphlets which were held to be objectionable. The "Swarajya" was subsequently suspended. A Mss. "Swarajya" took its place. After the repeal of the Press Act preparations were made for restarting "Swarajya" in print but before they ripened the keeper of the press was prosecuted for failure to print the name of his press in certain pamphlets printed there. The case was pending for a long time and came to a termination early in July when the accused was discharged with a warning. The paper will be re-appearing shortly.

A new English nationalist daily to be styled "Free India" is also going to be started with its office at Cawnpore. Mr. R. V. Dhulekar of Jhansi will be in charge of that paper.

MARCH OF REPRESSION.

News of arrests and prosecutions from all over the province is received. Most of the workers who are being proceeded now are unostentatious village propagandists.

On the 10th July Mr. Dharmavir, M.A., Professor of Mathematics, Kashi Vidya Pith was arrested on a warrant under S. 17 Cr. L. A. A. According to a correspondent of the "Independent" the Professor was taken from the jail to the court, for trial, on foot handcuffed and with a rope round his chest. Though it was raining, his friends were not allowed to hold an umbrella over his head.

Pandit Sitaram Asthana was sentenced, on the 15th July, to rigorous imprisonment for 1 year under S. 107 Cr. P. C., by the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Sagri.

In Lakhimpur alone 14 workers were arrested on the 6th July and prosecuted. After a trial lasting only for a few hours they were all convicted. One of them was sentenced to 1 year R. I. and others were sentenced to 6 months' R. I. and fines of Rs. 500 each.

In Barabanki, Mr. Syed Mohamad Makki was arrested, on the 15th July and is being prosecuted under S. 107 Cr. P. C.

On the 11th July the Tehsil Congress Committee Office, Rath, Hamirpur District was searched by the police headed by the Tahsildar and the Naib-Tahsildar. All the papers and national flags were removed. Besides, the houses of two Congress workers Pandits Mulchand Sharma and Matadin were also searched.

THE LANDHOLDERS' CONFERENCE.

Lieut.-Col. Fanuthorpe who was appointed Special Commissioner to report on the Aika movement urged, in his final report, the landholders to meet their tenants' legitimate claims. Soon after that some of the leading Talukdars of Oudh thought it necessary to hold a Landholders' conference to take steps to "protect" their interests. But before the actual date of the Conference the demands of the tenants as formulated by the Aika movement became a matter of far less urgency and the question of putting up a united front against the 'Liberals' in the matter of Sir Harcourt Buttler's extension assumed greater importance. The erstwhile comrades, the Talukdars and the Liberals had parted company and the Talukdars resolved to drive the Liberals out of office by defeating the District Municipalities Bill. The zemindars of Agra were wooed by both parties and their participation in the landholders' conference, held in Lucknow on the 14th instant, in which a resolution protesting against the District Municipalities Bill has been passed, is evidently regarded by the Liberals as an indication that they (the Agra zemindars) have cast their lot with their cousins of Oudh.

TILAK DAY.

The 15th of this month, the birthday of Lok. Tilak according to the Hindu almanac was duly observed. There was a swadeshi procession in the morning and a public meeting in the evening. It was resolved to erect a suitable memorial near the holy Triveni where the Lokamanya's ashes were deposited.

A later report of the railway disaster gives the number of dead as four, two being Burmese women, and injured 25. All the injured are expected to recover. (A. P.).

The Governor of Bengal on 3rd instant held a Durbar at University Court House at which a number of gentlemen were invested with honours conferred upon them. Afterwards a meeting was held to promote recruiting for Indian Territorial Force and a number of contributions towards funds were promised.

A correspondent from Gauhati wires under date August 3.—

Mr. Indranath Roy, who was arrested on suspicion and Messrs. Promode Chandra Patwari and Kanaklall Nath, who were arrested while going to supply Mr. Indranath with breakfast, were first charged under section 55 C.P.C., but subsequently they were charged under section 109 C.P.C. The case comes off for hearing on the 14th instant.

A correspondent wires:—

Sjt Mansing Chooharmal, editor "Shakti", a national weekly of Naushero and Secretary, Santi District Congress Committee was sentenced to one month's simple imprisonment under section 500 I.P.C. on a charge of defamation of third class Magistrate by the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Maushahro.

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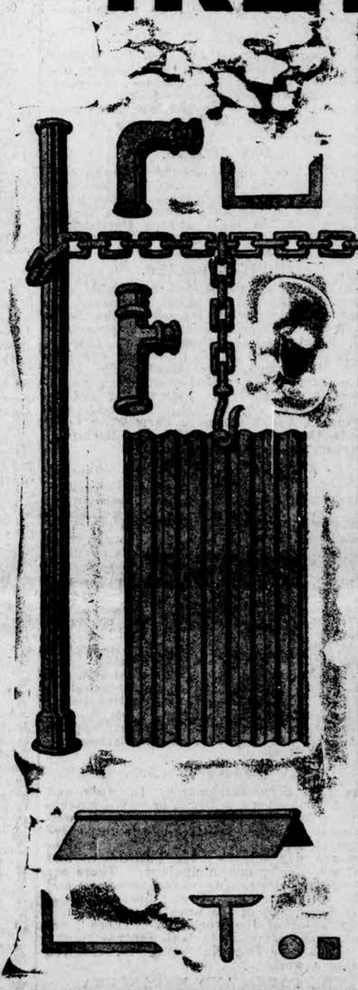

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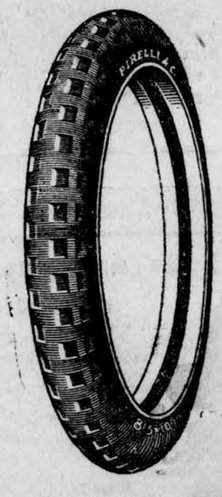

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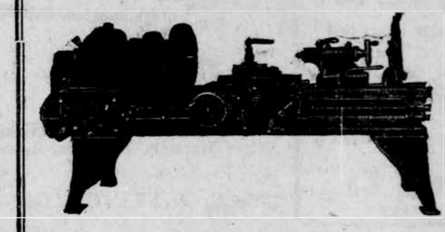

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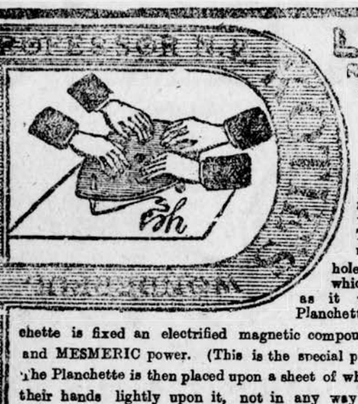

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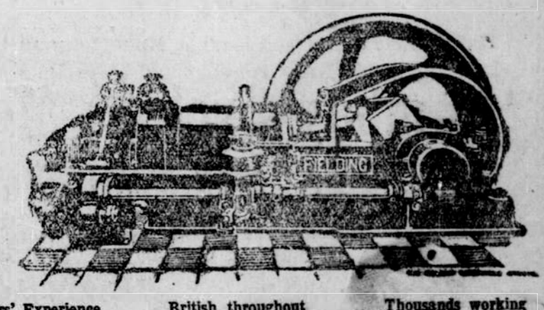

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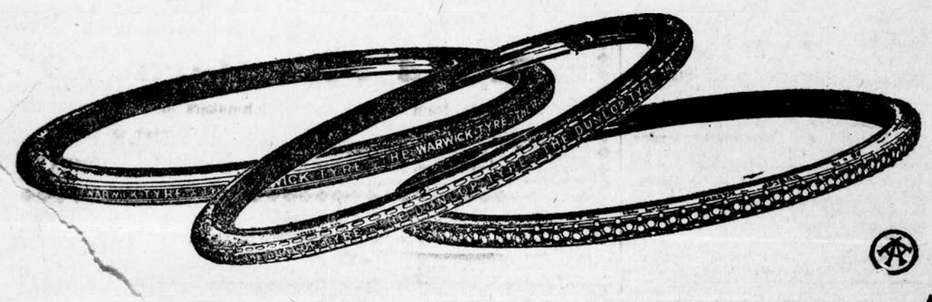

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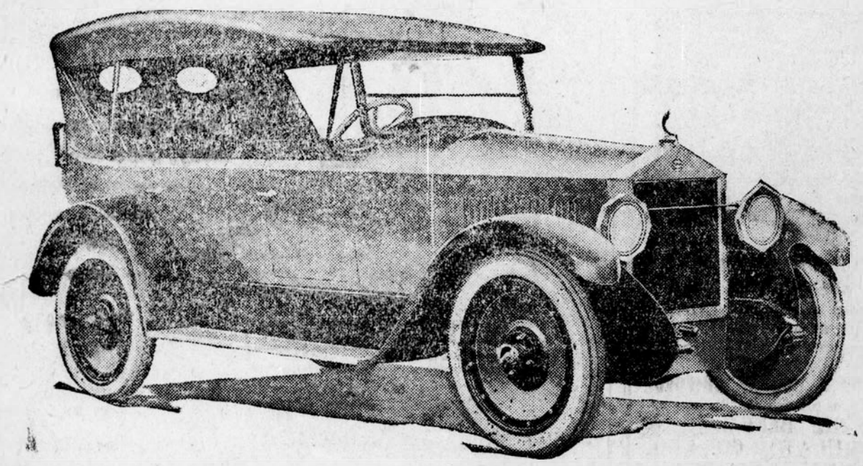

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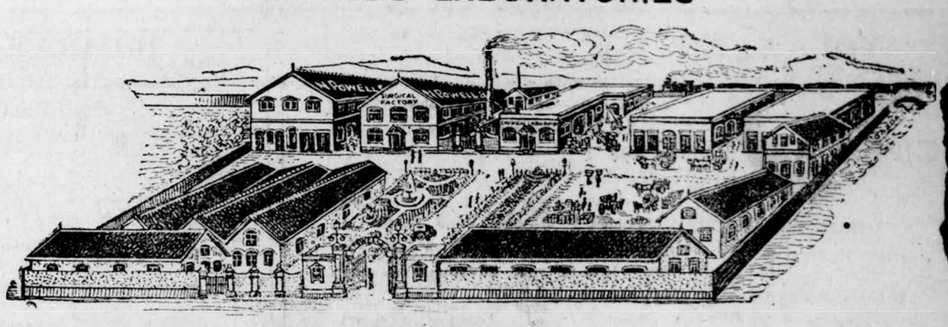

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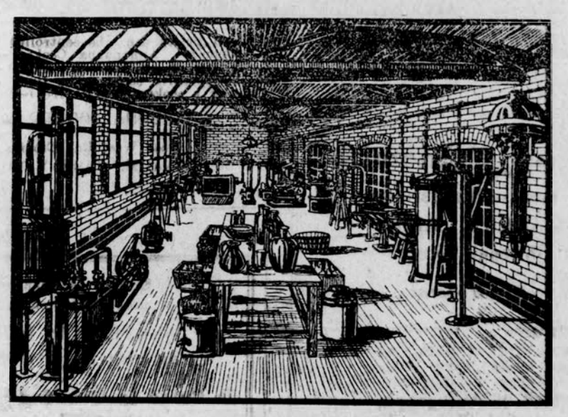

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